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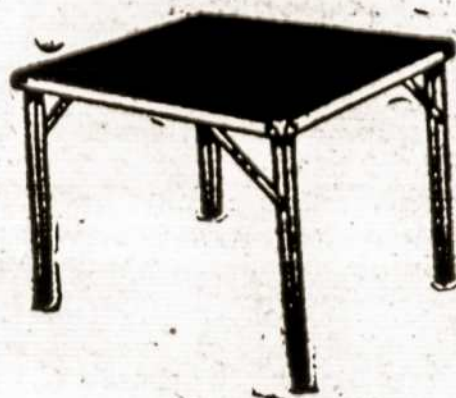
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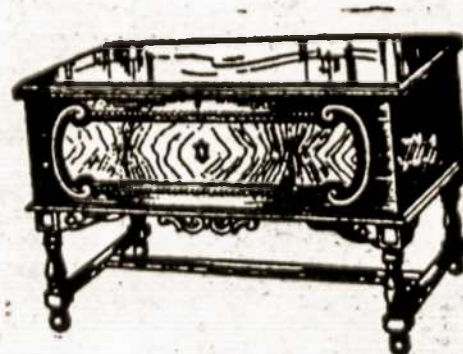
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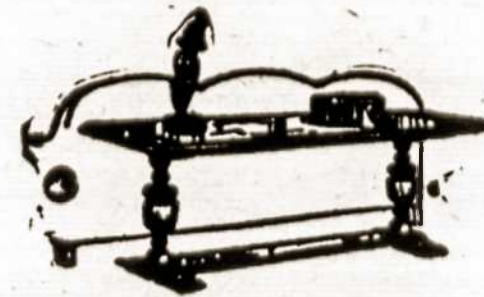
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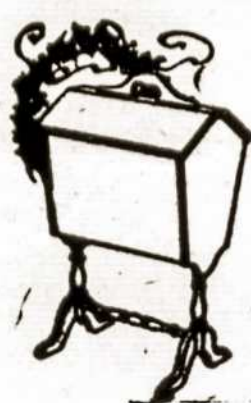
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NORTHFIELD, MASS., FRIDAY, DEC. 6, 1929

PRICE FIVE CENTS

The Historical Society

The quarterly meeting of the Northfield Historical Society was held last Tuesday evening in the Town hall. Dr. Colton, the president, opened the meeting by presenting a framed document, the original drawing of the seating arrangement of the Third church built in Northfield, dedicated in 1833, burned in 1871. With it was given one of the scorched slats from a blind of the church. The second gift was an old paper, "The Soldier's Camp Companion." This paper gives rules and regulations for soldiers, supposedly during the Civil War.

Among the matters voted on by the members was to accept, with gratitude, the offer by the library trustees of the northwest room on the second floor of Dickinson hall, to be used for meetings and for the exhibition of antique and historical objects.

A resolution was passed to appropriate \$100 to start a building fund for a building for the society. Three members were elected trustees of this fund, viz., L. R. Smith, Leon Alexander and Mrs. Thomas A. Dollard.

The Northfield Historical Society is incorporated under the laws of the State and is now in a position to accept money, legacies and gifts, as well as Indian relics and other historical articles for a permanent town museum.

The lecture of the evening by A. P. Fitt was a most interesting presentation of the life and character of King Philip, noted Indian chief, who made Northfield—then known as Squakeag—his home during the winter and spring of 1675-6, when "King Philip's War" was in progress. Mr. Fitt gave the exact location of the lookout tree on the bluff just west of Mount Hermon bridge, from which a watch was kept upon the white settlers and Indian reinforcements.

A map of Massachusetts, as its boundaries are today, was displayed, showing the portions inhabited by the different Indian tribes at that time. Upon it were traced the settlements of the white people in Squakeag.

Before the lecture, Mrs. Mildred Addison sang two selections, accompanied by Leon H. Dunnell. The audience numbered about 250.

Mrs. Mary N. Holton

Miss Mary N. Holton, 71 years of age, died at her home near Mount Hermon on Monday. She was daughter of Charles and Rebecca Bartor Holton and was one of the descendants of the early settlers of Northfield. She was a teacher for a time and for three years librarian at Northfield Seminary, but mostly her life has been in the home. Two sisters survive, Mrs. Lucy Folstead, with whom she lived, and Mrs. Nettie Armstrong of Springfield. The funeral was held Wednesday at 2 p. m. at her late home, when two nephews, Rev. Horace Holton of Brockton and Rev. C. Leonard Holton of Raynham officiated at the service. Interment was at Mount Hermon cemetery.

James Bower

James Bower, about 30 years old whose death resulted from injuries received when his car was struck by a Boston & Maine train at the Bernardston crossing, Nov. 20, was buried in Northfield cemetery last Saturday with burial service conducted by Rev. W. W. Coe. Mr. Bower's body was kept eight days while every possible effort was made by the town authorities and State police to locate his relatives. Very little could be learned about him, beyond the fact that he came from Barre, Vt., that he was employed as a subscription solicitor for Collier's Weekly, and that he was a British soldier in the World War. A photograph was taken of him and it is being kept with the hope that by it he may be identified further. No papers were found upon him that gave any information beyond his name and the address of Barre, Vt. These were on his driver's license.

World Fellowship Institute

The World Fellowship Institute, now in session each Sunday evening at the Congregational church, is to have an outstanding leader in missionary work next Sunday evening at 8 o'clock. Dr. Alden H. Clark, principal of the United Divinity College at Almeda, India, will be the speaker. Dr. Clark is a keen student of India and her problems and a man whose heart is full of wise, living sympathy for her people. Here is first-hand information right from Mother India and an opportunity to accurately inform oneself on a great nation's problems. Dr. Clark comes from India to give you this story.

The Women's Missionary Society had a most interesting afternoon on Wednesday at the parlor of the Congregational church. Mrs. C. F. Taber, as chairman, assisted by Mrs. F. L. Darby, Mrs. W. P. Stanley and Mrs. M. E. Vorse talked on the second chapter of Jerusalem to Jerusalem, the topic being the expansion of the East and South, that is, China, Manchuria and India. These countries are now so vividly before the public eye that the review of their histories was timely. Mrs. Taber also led devotions. Work was done on hospital garments for Dr. Cushman's hospital in West Africa. Tea and sandwiches were enjoyed, in charge of Mrs. E. S. Frary, Mrs. Webster and Mrs. Kingsbury.

Sunday, Dec. 15, the usual Christmas service will be given at Sage chapel at 7:30 p. m., when a program of instrumental and vocal music will be rendered by the Vesper choir, Estey chorus and music faculty. This is always an important service, which is open to the public.

CHRISTMAS BLESSING

By O. G. HARMON
in Successful Farming

*THE earthly orb once more hath run
Her beaten course around the sun
That brings again the sacred time
When shepherds with the angels sung
Carols unknown to mortal tongue,
And wise men from a distant clime
Led by the star—rich gifts to bring
And worship there the new-born King.*

*His throne is not of royal state;
Nor won by wars of jealous hate
That leave destruction in their wake.
'Tis not maintained by courts' decrees,
Nor avails of supremacy.
But in the hearts of those who make
His life their guide—the only goal
That satisfies the yearning soul.*

*That Shepherd's song of long ago
Of whom the wise men sought to know,
With "Peace on earth, good will
toward men,"
Is still an olive balm of grace
That reaches earth's remotest place
To banish pagan darkness when
True missionary friends have brought
To them the precepts that He taught.*

*Dark superstition's lost decree,
And brotherhood's supremacy
Are fruits of Him from Bethlehem:
Our church, our school, and woman's sphere,
Our moral plane and Christmas cheer
Are bright stars in His diadem,
As still that song the nations sing
And wise men seek to find their King.*

Red Cross Roll Call

Northfield's response to the annual roll call of the American Red Cross is practically ended. A few delayed memberships will come in, but up to last night the enrollments numbered 170. Additional gifts brought the total amount to over \$400, and we note with pleasure that \$45 of this was given by the Seminary students in sums less than the membership fee of \$1. Thus, "many a mickle makes a muckle." The canvassers in the roll call entered into it with enthusiasm and met with a warm reception in almost every case where a call was made. As in past years, the canvass started off with a dinner at the Northfield, generously given to the "crey" by Mr. A. G. Moody. It is reported that some cities and towns are not meeting with their former success. Northfield's increase of 30 per cent over last year indicates that we are still on the map.

Thanksgiving Operetta

The Thanksgiving operetta, entitled "Hawatha's Childhood," which was given by the Gould hall seminary students, under the direction of Miss Cooper, on Thanksgiving Day at the hall, was repeated on Saturday evening at 6:30 here, with the seminary students of the Annex of the Northfield hotel and the 3rd, 4th and 5th grades of the Pine street school as special guests. It was a beautiful operetta and well given. They plan to repeat the operetta out-of-doors in the spring.

The Town Hall

Who says the Town hall is not a good investment? Last Tuesday evening five different groups held meetings on the premises. The main hall was given over to a good-sized audience for a lecture by A. P. Fitt of the Historical Society, on Indian life and customs in Massachusetts during the 17th century. The directors of the Northfield Bank were occupying the bank room. A meeting of the American Legion was in progress upstairs. The auxiliary ladies were in the basement and the fire house was alight for a meeting of the fire company.

Legion Election

At the annual election of officers of the Haven H. Spencer Post, 179, American Legion, held in the Town hall on Friday, Nov. 28, the following officers for 1930 were chosen: Commander, R. H. Wilder; vice commander, Sheriff Max Huber; adjutant, Harlan Atwood; chaplain, Earl Makepeace; finance officer, Warren Whitman; historian, Cortland Finch; service officer, Stanley Payson; employment officer, Richard Steenbruggen; sergeant-at-arms, Harold Washer; H. G. Gingsra; H. Holton and C. Walker were elected to the executive committee.

The post has secured an increased membership for 1930 and recently received a special citation from the national headquarters for its efforts.

A. P. Cummings Promoted

The appointment of Ambert P. Cummings as secretary to Superintendent of Mail, J. P. Donahue of the Hartford post office has been announced by Postmaster Harry K. Taylor. Mr. Cummings will succeed J. J. Wallace, whose promotion to the superintendency of motor vehicle department was recently announced.

Mr. Cummings became associated with the post office in April, 1921, as a substitute. In August of the same year he was assigned to a regular position in the outgoing mail section. He subsequently was placed in charge of the information window, from which position he has now been transferred.

Installation of Officers

Harmony Lodge of Masons held one of the most important meetings of the year on Monday evening when, at the Masonic hall, the installation ceremonies were performed. The installing officers were all past masters of Roswell Lee Lodge of Springfield. D. R. Johnson, district deputy grand master, installed the officers, assisted by E. D. Strong as marshal and T. J. Strange as chaplain. During the ceremony, Mrs. Mildred Addison and Miss Dorothy Pearson rendered solos, accompanied by Miss Mildred Pearson at the piano. R. G. Holton, for the local lodge, presented Merritt C. Skilton, the retiring worshipful master, with a past master's jewel. A banquet followed, in charge of C. M. Steadler, at which time the new worshipful master, T. F. Darby, presided, and called for toasts from the three visiting officials and Mrs. F. H. Montague, worthy matron of Northfield Chapter, O. E. S. Previous to the installation, Mr. Darby entertained at dinner at the Northfield hotel the installing officers and prominent Masons with their wives, about 15.

The following officers were duly installed: W. M., Theodore F. Darby; G. W., Clarence M. Steadler; J. W., Max L. Huber; treasurer, Leon R. Alexander; secretary, Charles C. Stearns; chaplain, Dr. Richard S. Holton; marshal, Willis H. Parker; S. D., Walter W. Hyde; J. D., Ralph M. Forsaith; S. S., Martin E. Vorse; J. S., Daniel E. Bodley; Tyler, J. Chauncey Newton.

During the evening vocal solos were rendered by Miss Mildred Addison and Miss Dorothy Pearson, with Miss Mildred Pearson at the piano. A pleasing feature of the evening was the presenting of a past master's jewel to the retiring master, Merritt C. Skilton, by Wor. Richard S. Holton in behalf of the lodge. Following the exercises a banquet was served by members of the lodge and speeches concluded the proceedings.

Mr. and Mrs. Fitt Entertain

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Fitt entertained all the officers, teachers and members of the orchestra of the Sunday school of the Congregational church on Saturday evening. Supper was served to about 40 and the usual delightful evening with Mr. and Mrs. Fitt was enjoyed. This week Saturday evening they entertain the senior class of the high school and three boys in the school who took part in the play, "Tumble Inn." Mrs. Fitt leaves next week for Wayne, Pa., making a short visit in New York with Miss Elizabeth Billings. She expects to spend the winter with her daughter and family in Wayne. Mr. Fitt goes also next week for the Christmas festivities with their daughter. He returns to Northfield for the winter.

Golden Rule Sunday

Next Sunday will be observed as Golden Rule Sunday throughout the country. This work is now organized under the Golden Rule Foundation, with such men as Dr. S. Parkes Cadman, John H. Finley, Fleming H. Revell and others. The Golden Rule contributions have heretofore been devoted largely to Near East Relief, but the aid is now given through this foundation to suffering children in China, India and other nations. Next Sunday, at the Congregational church, special attention will be paid this subject and contributions of money are solicited to be placed in the collection plate at either morning or evening service, marked for this work. Mr. George McEwan, church treasurer, will also be glad to receive gifts for this purpose.

The Worm Turns

Recently, in Decatur, Georgia, the widow of a locomotive engineer who was killed when an oil truck collided with the train, has been awarded \$13,500 damages, assessed against the owner of the truck. Commenting on this unique case, the Tampa, Fla., Morning Tribune said:

"This is the case of the worm turning—if a railroad may be referred to as a worm. Investigation of grade crossing accidents will disclose that, in most cases, they are the fault of the vehicle driver, who does not exercise due caution in approaching a railroad track. In this case, the law requires that all vehicles come to a full stop at all railroad crossings; but this, like many other laws, is ignored in most instances."

The Georgia jury has established what may prove to be a precedent in holding that the car owner and driver must be held to as full accountability for such accidents as the railroad company or the locomotive engineer."

All in the Good Book

"The religious knowledge of too many adults resembles, I am afraid, the religious knowledge of little Eve," said Bishop Hoss at a Nashville picnic. "So you attend Sunday school regularly?" the minister said to little Eve.

"Oh, yes, sir."
"And you know your Bible?"
"Oh, yes, sir."
"Could you perhaps tell me something that is in it?"
"I could tell you everything that's in it."
"Indeed!" And the minister smiled. "Do tell me, then."
"Sister's beau's photo is in it," said little Eve, promptly, "and a recipe for vanishing cream is in it, and a lock of my hair cut off when I was a baby is in it, and the ticket for pa's watch is in it."—Los Angeles Times.



Local Odd Bits o' News

Miss Helen Symonds of Worcester was home for the five holidays of the past week.

Miss Fanny Hatch is making a good recovery from her recent illness at Brattleboro hospital.

Mrs. W. E. D. Ward of Boston has been spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Mattoon.

Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Smith went to Boston last week for a visit with their son and wife, Dr. and Mrs. Richard M. Smith.

Rev. Kenneth Wells, minister to the Westminster Presbyterian Church of Albany, N. Y., is the speaker at Sage Chapel next Sunday at 5 p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Holton of Worcester spent the week-end at the Holton homestead. Mrs. C. H. Webster returned with them for a two-days' visit.

Miss Bernice Webster came up from New York Wednesday to be with her mother and sister on Thanksgiving Day and through the week-end.

Mrs. Fred Fox, who has been a patient in the Chapin Memorial hospital, is now with relatives in Springfield and will return to her home in Northfield tomorrow.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Lazelle entertained for Thanksgiving her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Sprague of Brattleboro, Mrs. Bessie Symonds, Miss Helen Symonds and Mrs. E. M. Lazelle.

Mrs. Emma Spencer of Redding has been the guest of her brother, Carl Mason, and wife, and sister, Miss Carrie L. Mason. Miss Mason, with her sister, went by auto Wednesday to Redding and other eastern cities for a few days.

A regular meeting of Northfield Grange will be held next Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock. After the business meeting, the Grange will be open to all, when Mr. Colton will speak on Evidence of Indian Inhabitation in Northfield. Every one is cordially invited.

Leon H. Dunnell gave a fine organ and piano recital last Sunday afternoon to a large audience in the Mount Hermon chapel. His selections were Bach's Prelude and Fugue in C Major, Goddard's Berceuse from Jocelyn, Bach's Gavotte in E. Dubessy's Claire de Siene, Harker's Christmas Pastoral and Calkin's Thanksgiving March.

Mrs. George Foreman, Miss Margaret Foreman and Miss Caroline Zinc left Thursday for their home in Portsmouth, Va., after the summer at their Main street residence. Mrs. Foreman will visit her cousin, Mrs. Anna Robinson, in Sheffield, Mass., on the way south, and the others visit Mrs. Bessie Conklin in New Jersey for the same period of time.

Mrs. N. P. Wood is now recovering, being able to sit up a few hours each day, and is much encouraged about her trip to join her son and family in El Monte, Cal.

Mrs. C. C. Stockbridge leaves on Saturday of this week for Dade City, Fla., where she will spend the winter. Her son, Frank Stockbridge, and family live in Dade City.

A daughter, Lena Anne, was born Nov. 36, at Moore, Pa., to Mr. and Mrs. Norris Cove, granddaughter to Mr. and Mrs. James Sprague of Greenland, N. H., formerly of Northfield.

Miss Vera I. Wright, a student in the Massachusetts Agricultural College at Amherst, was with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. Allen Wright, during the Thanksgiving day vacation.

The Ladies' Benevolent Society of Northfield Farms will give a supper and entertainment at Union hall Thursday evening, Dec. 10. Admission 25 cents; children 15 cents.

Miss Barbara Williams spent Thanksgiving and the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Williams. She brought with her a bright six-year-old boy, Walter Phelps, a member of her kindergarten class in the Hartford City Mission.

Edward Morgan, a sophomore at Harvard, Miss Clarissa Morgan, teacher, of Cambridge, and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Danforth and two sons, of Lexington, were holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Morgan.

Mrs. B. B. Darby and her daughter, Mrs. R. R. Trinnage, and two children, of New London, Conn., were week-end guests of her son, T. F. Darby and family. They are former residents of this town.

The American Legion Auxiliary, Haven H. Spencer Post, 179, will hold a fancy article sale Saturday afternoon, Dec. 14, from 2 to 6 o'clock, in the American Legion room, Town hall. The public is cordially invited.

Mrs. William A. Barr received word last week of the death of her uncle, Charles Parsons Osgood, 78 years of age, of San Francisco, Cal. His death took place at a sanatorium near San Francisco, where he had been an invalid for over two years. Mr. Osgood was a native of this town. His father, Charles Osgood, being one of the foremost citizens for many years. He went to San Francisco when about 21 years old, where his wife died two years ago. He left no children, but is survived by his niece, Mrs. Barr of Northfield, and two other nieces and a nephew, children of a sister, Mrs. Hooker, also of San Francisco. Mr. Osgood made many visits to his native town, and is remembered by many of the older residents as a man of striking personality and distinguished appearance. He is the last of the direct line of Osgoods.

Mrs. Lillian Woodward and son, Herbert, left on Wednesday for California.

The subject of the sermon by the Rev. R. E. Griffith at the Unitarian church next Sunday morning will be "The Gift of Sight."

Mrs. Frank Evans underwent an operation on Thursday morning at Farren hospital in Montague. Dr. W. H. Pierce was her surgeon.

The next regular meeting of the Y. P. B. will be held Dec. 11 in Grange hall, at the usual time. An admission fee of 10 cents will be charged. A fine program has been planned for the evening, with dancing after 9 o'clock.

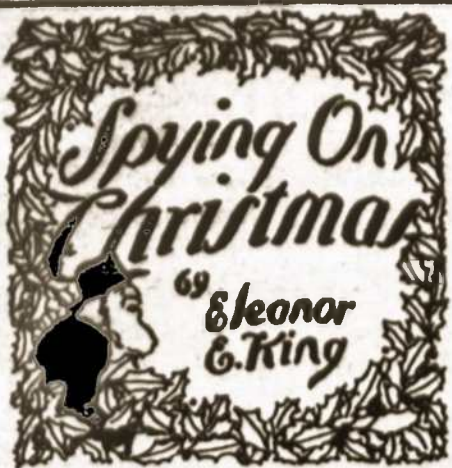
The Tuesday Bible class was held this week on Thursday in conjunction with the Ladies' Sewing Society at the Congregational Church. Beginning next week, Dec. 10, the Bible class meets with Mrs. Bessie Symonds on Highland avenue.

Word has been received by friends in Northfield that Dr. Arthur N. Thompson who, with his family, is at their winter home in Coconut Grove, Fla., has been seriously ill. He is improving and his full recovery is expected. His daughter, Miss Isabella, whose poor health the past two years is regretted by all who know her, remains about the same.

The annual meeting of the Relief Corps was held Wednesday afternoon at Alexander hall, with Mrs. Ella M. Lazelle, retiring president, presiding. The officers elected follow: President, Mrs. J. A. Stebbins; senior vice president, Mrs. Stanley Payson; junior vice president, Mrs. Nellie Adams; treasurer, Mrs. E. M. Lazelle; secretary, Mrs. A. M. Solandt; chaplain, Mrs. E. M. Morgan; conductress, Mrs. J. E. Nye; assistant conductress, Mrs. E. M. Krance; delegate to convention in Boston, Mrs. Nye, with Mrs. William Leslie as alternate.

The Northfield Seminary Church Union will hold its annual sale and entertainment this week Saturday evening at Silverthorne hall, opening at 6:30 o'clock. Each dormitory has a booth of Christmas gifts to sell. The sale will be followed by a play entitled "Rosland's Romancers," given by the Dramatic club of the second academic students, with Miss Rachel King as coach. Miss Eleanor Davis is general faculty adviser for the entire performance. The evening's program is open to the public.

Christmas Seals are now on sale for the benefit of the Anti-Tuberculosis Society. We can well afford to follow the Red Cross Roll Call by the purchase of a sheet or two of these seals. The work of the society is a work of prevention. Statistics show a marked decrease in the victims of tuberculosis, and in this the Anti-Tuberculosis Society is accomplishing a great deal. It is nation-wide in its efforts. It is systematized and it is successful. It is, therefore, worthy of our help.



Two days before Christmas! Tomorrow's the day we draw our pension," Ben joyfully said, and reiterated no less than six times in the ensuing half-hour to the "new doctor's wife." Ben, detailed by the captain of the Old Soldiers' home, was helping "the new doctor's wife" get a few pieces of furniture uncrated and placed in the apartment—just a few things they had brought with them to add to those furnished by the state and thus make the apartment more homelike for them. Ben was a trifle slow, but considering he was beginning his seventies, he was very spry.

"You know tomorrow is pension day, and I draw fifty dollars. I'll have to get to bed early tonight because that



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line in front of the treasurer's office will be a block long at six o'clock in the morning. Every month it's that way."

"My," put in the doctor's wife, "that is a lot of money. What will you do with so much?"

"Umph, after you have been around here a month or so you won't have to ask that foolish question. I am going to town and spend it. This month a good share of it will go for Christmas."

"But what about saving for a rainy day?"

Happiness, Joy in the Message of Christmas

CHRISTMAS, the day of days, is here! We have looked up and seen its star gleaming in the sky—its light has beckoned to us through the gloom! We have heard the voices of the angels singing above the hills: "Glory to God in the highest and on earth peace to men of good will."

With the humble shepherds we have walked over the hills to kneel at His feet—to adore Him. But the hills we have labored across were the rough ways of darkness and doubt—of fear and foreboding—of unkindness and neglect, of all that kept us from this happiness that we know today.

The message of the angels touched our hearts—it has been spoken direct to us. The coming of a little child has shown us the way; our steps are straight and true as we follow Him.

Happiness and joy beyond telling flood the world. All of us have become rich, with a wealth that cannot be measured. For, as the humble stable at Bethlehem was transformed into a place of joy and beauty by the coming of the Christ child, so today our hearts and homes are changed into temples of joy and peace and happiness because we have heard and listened to the message of Christmas.—Katherine Edelman.

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Card of Thanks

We wish to thank our friends and neighbors for the sympathy and help so kindly extended to us in our recent bereavement and for the many beautiful flowers which helped to lighten our sorrow.

WALTER H. SHERWOOD, ROBERT F. SHERWOOD, MR. and MRS. W. H. WAITE.

An average speed of 75 miles per hour was maintained in the first automobile race held in the United States, held in Chicago in 1895.

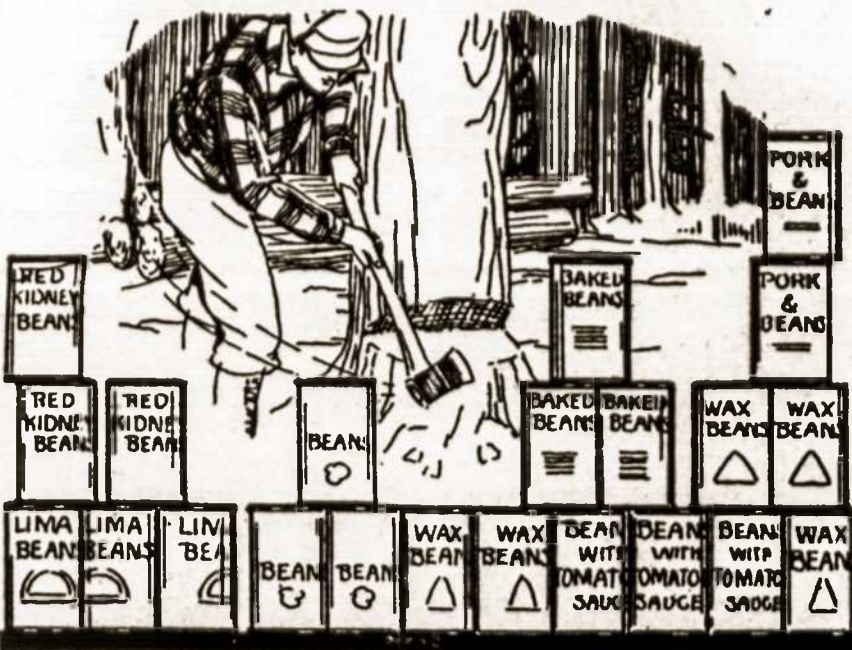
SOME BOOK!

There once was a jans-loving Dr. Who went by the name of James Fr. Got home late one night; With started a fight; He picked up a foot-stool and Sr.

OWED TO SKIRTS

Old Adam and Eve came back they say To see what the gowns looked like today. But they turned around and went back because They were just as scant as they used to was.

Beans for Fall



OUR forefathers believed that the perfume of the flowering bean plant made men silly or light-headed. Today we hold no such belief, and our ideas about the bean are backed by scientific fact rather than superstition.

Beans for Brawn

Beans are so high in protein content, unlike most vegetables, that they can be used occasionally as the main dish of a meal, and are actually so used in many places where nourishing food is necessary. Maine lumbermen and baked beans are linked together both in the public mind and in fact. Maine beans, baked in a hole in the ground and dubbed bean-hole beans are among the best obtainable.

Boston baked beans, too, are world famous. But all beans take care and time and fuel for baking, so today many housewives like to purchase their beans ready-baked in cans. Some of these canned

beans capture and retain the flavor of the Maine beans; others are put up with pork and steamed; and others are canned with tomato sauce and no pork. But whatever kind is purchased, there are many ways of serving them. They may be served cold with vinegar, or hot, sautéed in bacon fat. Or the beans may be poured in a buttered baking dish, after having a little minced onion mixed with them, and then sprinkled with grated Parmesan cheese and heated through.

To make curried baked beans, fry a fourth pound of bacon, remove from the pan and sauté two chopped green peppers in the fat until tender. Add two number 2 cans of beans, two cups of tomatoes, one-fourth teaspoon of pepper, and one teaspoon of curry powder, and simmer until slightly thickened. Serve garnished with the bacon slices and whole sweet gherkins.*

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1-3 cup raisins
1-3 cup dates
1-3 cup figs
1 cup water
1/4 cup sugar
1 tablespoon lemon juice
1/4 teaspoon cinnamon
1/4 teaspoon cloves

Out raisins, dates and figs in small pieces; add water and cook slowly until tender. Add sugar and boil until thick. Add lemon juice. Cool slightly; place in bottoms of individual dessert glasses. Warm the milk until trifle more than lukewarm—not hot—remove from stove, and dissolve it in the chocolate junket. Add spices; pour over fruit and let stand in a warm room until firm. Chill before serving. Top with whipped cream and maraschino cherry.

UPSIDE DOWN CAKE

In a cold frying pan place 3 tablespoons butter and 1 cup light brown sugar. Melt this and add 6 ripe peaches, peeled and sliced. Pour over this a batter made of 1 egg beaten, 1/4 cup light brown sugar, 1/4 teaspoon salt, 1/2 cup hot milk, 1 cup flour and 1 1/2 teaspoons baking powder. Mix egg, sugar and salt. Add milk. Stir in flour to which baking powder is added. Bake 30 to 45 minutes. When baked, turn upside down on large platter. Serve hot with whipped cream or sauce.

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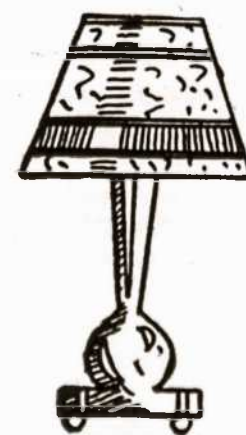
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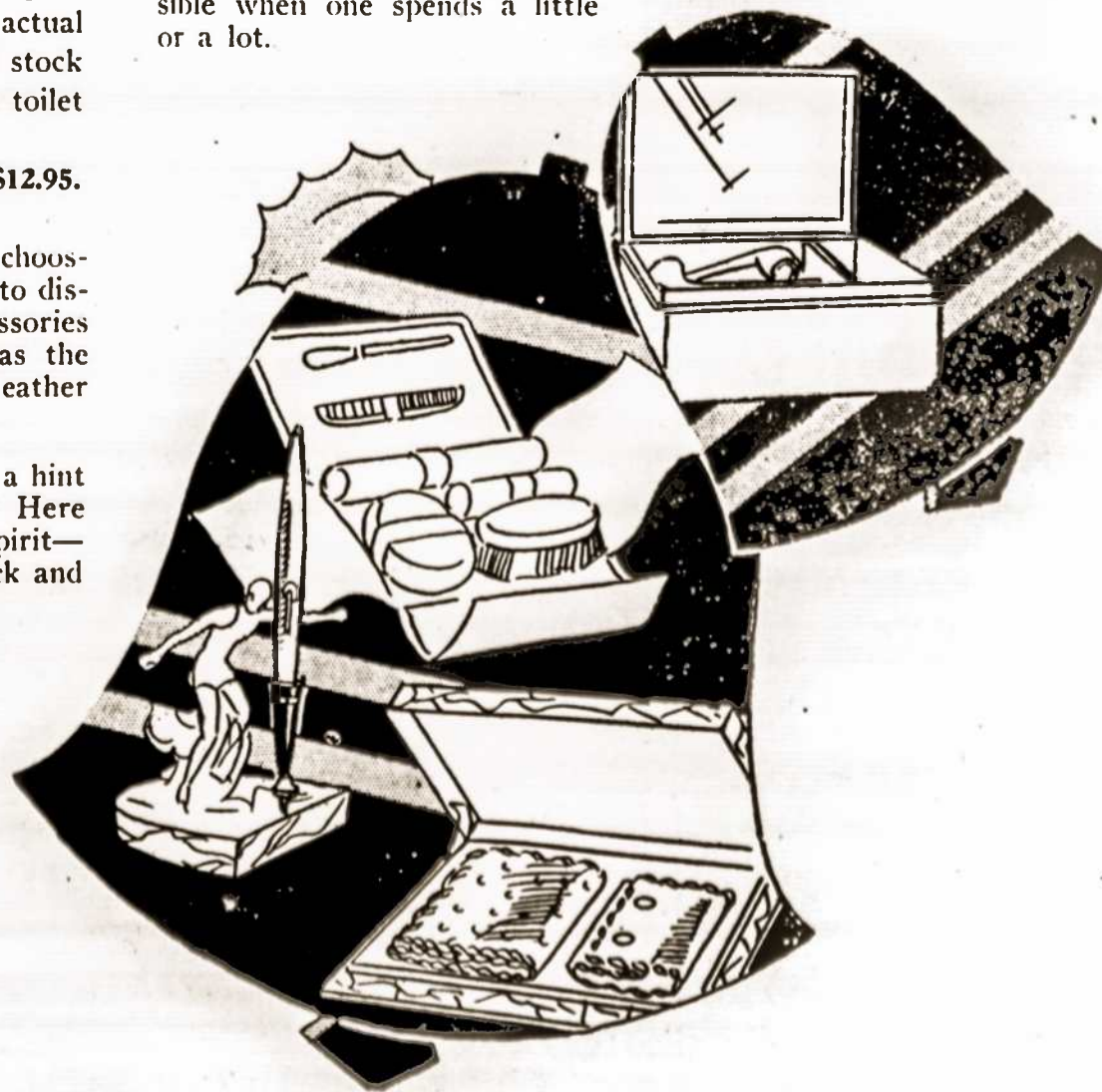
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Why do little children sing?

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Seen by shepherds from afar,
Gently moved until its light
Made a manger-cradle bright.

There a darling Baby lay
Pillowed soft upon the hay.
And His mother sang and smiled,
"This is Christ, the Holy Child."

So the bells for Christmas ring,
So the little children sing.

Holeless Stockings, but
"Santa Is a Wise Guy"

JIMMY looked at the holes in his stockings.
"Molly, can you mend these holes?"
"No," replied his sister, "there's no thread."

"Have yours got holes, too?"
"Yes, why?"

"Why, John Waters says Santa Claus never comes here because he can't fill stockings with holes; everything drops out."

"How mean," said Molly. "But, come, let's go look in the windows at the toys; mother will be late tonight."

So they hurried down to the shopping district and stood with noses pressed against the panes, hungrily eyeing the toys. At last Molly pulled Jimmy away.

"Come on or mother will be home and she'll scold."

At the corner of the street a lady in front of them ran for a car. As she did so she dropped a package. Jimmy picked it up and called to her, but the car moved on. The children hurried home and Jimmy unwrapped the parcel. And there lay a pair of gray silk stockings.

"Oh, boy!" cried Jimmy. "No holes; now Santa will come."

"Let's hang them right up," said Molly. So they hung them back of the old stove. When their mother returned she found them wildly excited.

When they were in bed, she counted her money, just enough for the rent. She viewed the stockings with tears in her eyes. Then, noticing a piece of paper on the floor, she picked up a sales slip with an address.

"Why, we mustn't keep them, be-

sides I have nothing to put in them. She took them from the chimney, wrapped them and, putting on her coat, stole from the room.

In half an hour she found the address. She was ushered into a room where a lady was trimming a Christmas tree. She explained that she would have returned the stockings sooner, and told how the children hung them up.

"And will they have no Christmas?" cried the lady. When their mother explained she hurried from the room and returned with clothing and toys. Jimmy's mother tried to thank her but failed.

The next morning Jimmy's shout could be heard a block away. But he wondered how it happened that the gray silk stockings which he had hung up were replaced by brown woolen ones, and said: "Santa is a wise guy."

—Jane Roth.
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COWARD



He—Gosh! You know I can hardly wait till Christmas. Gonna have mistletoe?

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The Christmas Pie

By MARY BLAIR
in Rural New Yorker

TOMMY'S mother made a pie,
A Christmas pie she cooked,
And Tommy thought that pie the best
At which he ever looked.
It was of pumpkin yellow,
And gingers for some pep,
And Tommy thought that that big pie
Was too good to be kept.

So he journeyed to the pantry,
When quite alone that night,
To see if he could not partake
Of just a tiny bite.
He stuck one finger in it,
To taste of just one lick,
And then the other followed
To get another lick.

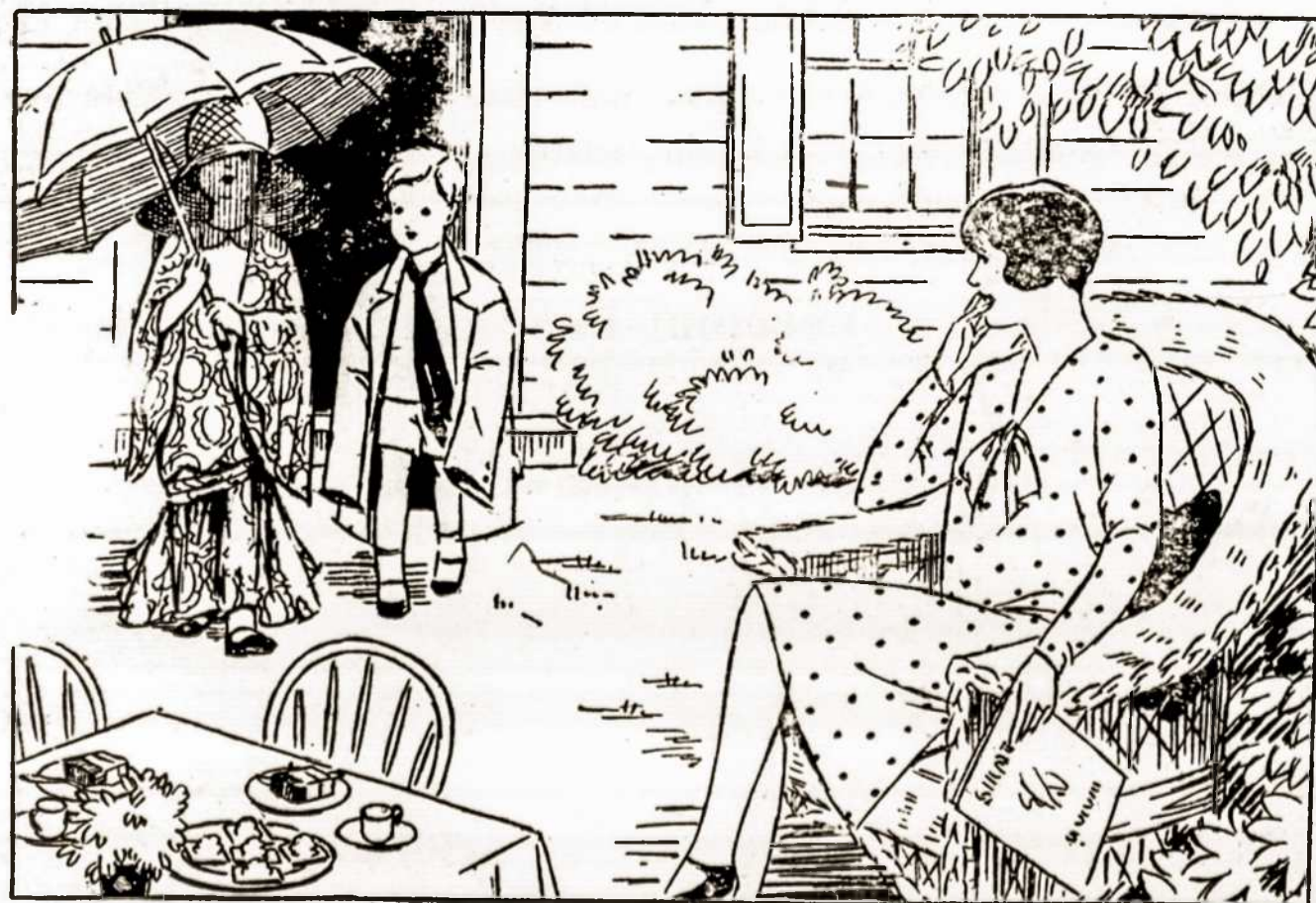
But he heard his mother coming,
And with a stifled cry,
He turned to run but tripped and fell,
Right in the pumpkin pie.
Arrived the Christmas dinner,
A different pumpkin pie.
But where was Tommy's portion?
He had no pumpkin pie.

So listen all ye children,
From this moral Tommy swerved,
"If you would eat of Christmas pie,
Just wait 'til it is served."

MY DOOR is open wide tonight,
The hearth fire is aglow;
I seem to hear soft passing feet,
The Christ-Child in the snow.

My door is open wide tonight,
For stranger, kith or kin;
I would not bar a single door
Where love might enter in.

COLD AND SWEET



COLD and sweet and oh! so popular is ice cream when summer rolls around. Regardless of whether it is served at dinner or at a party, or as the afternoon luncheon for children proudly bedecked in their parents' outmoded clothes and grandly playing "come to tea," ice cream is an ever-welcome dessert.

Easy to Make

And ice cream is an easy dessert to make. Only a few rules are necessary for success. To make ice cream, sherbet or water ice, use three level measures of ice to one of salt. A larger proportion of salt will cause the mixture to freeze more quickly and to be granular. This is desirable in a frappe, which is served with equal parts of salt and ice, but is to be deplored in frozen desserts.

Another rule is never to fill the can more than three-fourths full of the ice-cream mixture; if it is too full the resulting dessert will be grainy.

Turn the crank slowly and steadily at first, but when the cream is frozen to a mush the crank may be turned rapidly.

Today's man with an iceless refrigerator makes frozen desserts in a box with no more attention or occasional stirring. Gelatin or cream should be added to the mixture, for a plain ice cream will be too granular if made in this manner.

Among the best-liked frozen desserts are those containing fruit. Left-over fruit, whether fresh or canned, may be used. Canned fruit is usually more economical than the fresh when using large amounts. Inexpensive grades may be bought for this purpose.

Following are some recipes for frozen desserts which will be greeted by the family with cries of "More!"
Frozen Fruit Mayonnaise: Beat one cup of heavy cream, add two-thirds cup mayonnaise and one cup sugar. Add one cup crushed pineapple, one-half cup canned strawberries, two tablespoons lemon juice and two mashed bananas. Pack in an air-tight can and immerse in salt and ice for several hours. Serve as a dessert. This will serve eight people.

What to Make

Loganberry and Banana Mousse: Chill two cups of evaporated milk thoroughly. Add one unbeaten egg white and beat with a rotary egg beater until stiff, in a bowl set in a can of cracked ice. Beat in one cup sugar, one-half cup of banana pulp, the juice of one-half a lemon and one-half cup of canned loganberry syrup. Pack in ice and salt, but do not turn. These quantities make eight servings. Cherry, red raspberry or strawberry syrup may be used instead of the loganberry syrup.
Apricot and Lemon Sherbet: Dissolve one package of lemon-flavored gelatin in two cups of boiling water,

add one and one-fourth cups of sugar and cool. Add one cup of cold water, one cup of heavy cream and the apricots from a number two can. The fruit should have been pressed through a sieve. Freeze. This recipe will serve eight people liberally.

Frozen Recipes

Frozen Apple Sauce: Mix together the contents of a number 2 can of apple sauce, one-fourth cup of lemon juice, one-half cup of orange juice, one-half teaspoon grated orange rind and one-half cup sugar. Fold in one stiffly-beaten egg white. Pour mixture into the ice-cream freezer and freeze like any ice cream, using three parts ice to one part salt. This makes a little over one quart, and is especially nice to serve with the main course of a meal, especially if the meat is pork.

Junket Ice Cream: Scald together one quart of milk, one cup of evaporated milk and three-fourths cup of sugar, then cool to lukewarm. Add one tablespoon vanilla. Crush one and one-half junket tablets, and dissolve them in two tablespoons of cold water. Add to the lukewarm mixture in the ice cream can, and let stand until firm. Then freeze like any other ice cream. Serve a few sprigs of cherry, red raspberry or other canned berries over each portion, and it is with much pleasure that this recipe will serve eight people.

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UDITH swept aside the great pile of Christmas cards she had been addressing by hand and pulled her typewriter into position.

Ned watched his wife whimsically as he cut out the loud speaker and prepared to adjust the ear phones as was his custom when Judith's typewriter conflicted with his radio.

"Why stop to write letters when your time is so limited? Why don't you just send cards to every one?"

Judith did not look up as she carefully inserted the sheet of paper:

"You know, Ned, I write Uncle John in England and Uncle Will up North every Christmas. I've done it since father died. They're the only two left of his family. I don't suppose any of their other nephews or nieces do it but I sort of like to."

"Do they ever answer or give any indication that they've received your annual epistle?" Ned asked smiling, but skeptical.

"No," Judith faltered. "I don't even know whether Uncle John still lives, but I'm going to write just the same. Uncle Will is still living, we know."

"Yes, we know. Lives alone like Dickens' Scrooge—all kinds of money." Ned's smile changed suddenly. "That isn't why you write, is it, Judy?"

"You know me better than that, Ned. I write because of the good Christmas days we had at his home when I was a little girl, when Uncle Will's family and ours celebrated every Christmas in his big house on the hill. Now he is all alone, no one but servants, and he is ninety years old."

"Well, why do you write your Uncle John? You never spent any Christmas days in England. Is he rich and alone, too?"

"No. He isn't rich but he is alone. He always wrote father regularly and it used to please father—I could tell by the way he smiled when a letter



"What's the Matter, Ned?"

came—and friends, who have seen him, say he looks just like father, and he is old, too—eighty-six. We'll be glad to get letters at Christmas if we ever live to be eighty-six."

"We'll never get any, Judy, if we have to wait that long. Ned was getting facetious. "Most likely they can't either of them see to read. No wonder they don't answer them."

"I tell you, Ned, I don't expect answers. I use the typewriter to help

them to read what I write. Some one can read to them anyway if it's typed to make it easy. But truly, Ned, I write because I want to. I like to believe that they are a wee bit pleased about it."

"All right. Go to it, Judy. I know you'll be rushed the last minute and I thought this was one thing that could be omitted. But I see it can't. What's bothering me at present is how Bob's going back to college next semester. We promised him he could go back in February if he would stay out the first semester and work to help clear up the doctor's bills that accumulated so fast during my sickness last summer. But so many things have come up we've scarcely made a dent in them. It doesn't really look like a very merry Christmas for us. But go on with your letters. I'll keep quiet."

Judith was looking at him intently: "What's the matter, Ned? You've a wrong slant on everything tonight. It doesn't do a bit of good to be always looking at the wrong side of things and talking about our worries doesn't help any. It's two months before Bob has to go. Everything may be all right by that time. We've got a lot to be thankful for; you're fine and fit again and we are all well and strong. Let's count our blessings instead of our trials and have a happy Christmas anyway." Judith's type-

writer keys clicked a cheerful agreement as she settled to her task.

It was Christmas day, two weeks later. It had been a rush at the last minute as usual, but as usual Judith had gotten through and the family had almost finished Christmas dinner when the doorbell pealed forth and a special delivery for Judith was handed in.

Judith turned it over curiously. "It looks like my father's writing. Goodness! It can't be from Uncle Will!"

She hurriedly opened the letter. "Listen!" The letter was brief and direct:

"Enclosed find check. The amount is what I have previously sent your Uncle John each year. He died last

summer. Others have remembered to write me in my declining years, but as you are the only relative who remembered him, I am this year sending the amount to you, hoping you may find some proper and sane use for it."

Judith threw her arms around Ned's neck.

"See, Ned! It's a thousand dollars. Now Bob can go back to college and we shan't have to worry about the money. Now aren't you sorry you said anything about my taking time to write letters to my two old uncles?"

Ned grinned his boyish grin.

"The only thing I truly regret is that you haven't a half dozen more—and," he added, "that there aren't more wives like mine."

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Carol of Noel

By May Folwell Hoisington

CHRIST within the manger lay
Haloed on the scented hay
Joseph prayed at Mary's bower,
Guardian of her slumber-hour.
Lowly as and lowing kine
Watched the Baby's halo shine.
Through the broken thatch on high
Peered a Star of midnight sky;
Shepherds softly knelt around,
Guided by a carol's sound.
Angels sang that Holy Morn—
"Unto us a Child is born."



Fish with Tin Tails

THE gigantic salmon industry is attempting to solve one of the mysteries of nature by attaching tin tags to the tails of salmon, caught as they start to swim out to sea, and offering a reward for any salmon so tagged when it returns in from two to seven years. The object is to make sure that salmon actually return to their birthplaces after their mysterious expeditions out to sea.

It is well known that the fish are born in fresh water streams fed by springs or the melting ice of glaciers. Then the baby fish travel down to the ocean and disappear. Where they go, no one knows, but, when fully grown, they are supposed to return to the mouth of the stream where they were born, and start back up the river to spawn and die. The great sal-

mon fleets which await them annually take up their positions at the mouths of these rivers and catch and can the salmon when they are in the finest condition.

Make Marvelous Food

Mystery, or no mystery, the salmon is a marvelous food fish. Here is a recipe for canned salmon which has been tested and found toothsome:

Salmon au Gratin: Fork together lightly three cups of salmon, two cups of mashed potatoes, six tablespoons of milk, six tablespoons of melted butter, and salt and pepper. Pile lightly in a buttered baking dish. Sprinkle one-half cup of grated cheese over the top, then crumbs over that. Brown in a moderate oven, 375° F., for about twenty minutes.

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A Beautiful Gift of Needlework

Never before have we shown such an extensive assortment of attractive items to be embroidered.

Tapestry Pictures—These come in two types, some are embroidered with silk and others are embroidered with wool; two sizes. Unusually attractive gift item. Priced at \$1.00

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Rayon Pillow Tops to be quilted, complete with back and padding. These come in all colors. Specially Priced 50c.

Other Pillow Tops, made of linen and fast colored cotton materials. Priced 39c.-69c.

Pillow Cases to embroider by hand. These come all white and with colored border in wide range of attractive designs. Specially Priced 98c.-\$1.19

Linen Lunch Sets, cloth and napkins to match. This is very special item. Priced 98c.

Linen Scarfs, stamped to embroider; some are plain, others are hemstitched. Priced at 69c.

Linen Towels, very attractive hand towels with cross stitch designs, attractive item. Priced at 50c.

Glass Linen Towels, in very attractive designs. Specially Priced 29c.

Close Pin and Fancy Aprons, with pockets. This is an attractive moderately priced item. Special at 29c.

Vanity and Buffet Sets of linen. These are three-piece sets and come in variety of attractive patterns. Priced 35c.-69c.

Linen Centerpieces, made in 18- and 36-inch; very attractive. Priced at 35c.-98c.

Bedroom Sets, consisting of vanity, pin cushion, scarf, etc. Priced at 98c.

Dining Room Sets, consisting of buffet set and scarf. Priced at 98c.

Ladies' Pure Linen Handkerchiefs, with colored borders. These are unfinished. Very Special at 10c. each

Christmas Handkerchiefs

One of the most acceptable and practical gifts.

Imported Linen Handkerchiefs—These are pure linen and are hand-blocked in beautiful assortment of colors. They are very reasonably priced. at 25c.-50c.

Porto Rican Handkerchiefs, all hand-embroidered, white and colors. Priced at 15c.-25c.

Madeira Hand-Embroidered Handkerchiefs—These are very beautiful and come in wide assortment of designs. Priced at 39c.-98c.

Chinese Hand-Embroidered Handkerchiefs—These are one of the most beautiful handkerchiefs, many of them are finished with hand-drawn laces. Priced 50c.-98c.

Pure Linen Handkerchiefs, hand-embroidered in either white and colors, in very special assortment. Priced at 25c.

Attractive Handkerchiefs, embroidered, white and colors, very special assortment. at 10c.

Ladies' Boxed Handkerchiefs—These are put up in different ways, two three or six handkerchiefs in a box. Priced 25c.-\$1.50 per box

Ladies' Plain Linen Handkerchiefs, hemstitched in all qualities. Priced 10c.-50c.

Men's Linen Handkerchiefs—In very attractive assortment; plain white and colored borders. at 25c.-50c.

Men's Initial Handkerchiefs, pure linen. Priced 25c.-50c.

Men's Cotton Handkerchiefs—Embroidered with attractive initial. Priced at 25c.

Men's Initial Handkerchiefs—Put up three in box. These have colored borders and are unusually attractive. Priced per Box 75c.

Boys' Handkerchiefs—White and white colored borders. Special at 10c.-25c.

Children's Boxed Handkerchiefs—These are very cute for the little tot and come in fancy boxes. Per Box 25c.-50c.

Christmas Lamps

Our lamp department is one of the outstanding features in our downstairs store. Hundreds of beautiful lamps are offered at special prices.

Table Lamps, with shade in many beautiful designs. Priced \$2.98-\$5.98

Floor Lamps, in very attractive numbers. Priced \$1.69-\$4.98

Bridge Lamps, in large assortment. Priced 79c.-\$3.98

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Lamp Shades—These are shown in charming assortment of the newest ideas, and you will find the prices unusually reasonable. Priced from 25c.-\$1.98

Christmas Stationery

The Assortments of Christmas Stationery Are Complete

Boxed Stationery in assortment of unusually attractive boxes, very high grade paper. Priced per Box 50c.

Large Box of Stationery, consisting of paper, envelopes and cards; either white or tinted. Priced 69c.-\$1.48

Special Value Box of Stationery—This is very attractive and exceptionally good paper. Priced at 25c.

Correspondence Cards in two special assortments; extra values. Priced 25c.-50c.

Christmas Cards

Are Now Ready in Splendid Variety.

Priced 5c., 10c., 15c.

Special Boxes of Christmas Cards—These are super values. You can get better values this way. Priced per Box 25c., 50c., 98c.

Men's Wear

Men's Shirts, made of fine quality madras. These are very well made and from strictly washable materials. Priced \$1.48-\$1.98

Men's White Shirts, very fine quality; two grades. Priced \$1.48-\$1.98

Men's and Boys' Neckties, attractively boxed for Christmas; exceptional assortment. Priced at 50c.

Men's Ties, in very beautiful assortment. These are put up in Christmas boxes without extra charge. Priced 98c.-\$1.48

Men's Gloves, in fine variety, cape and mocha. Priced \$1.98-\$2.98

Men's Lined Gloves, lined with wool or with fur. Priced \$2.98-\$3.98

Men's Leather Goods, including purses, security cases, belts, bill folds and novelty items in leather cases, all at popular prices. at 25c.-\$1.98

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Men's Bathrobes, unusually attractive, good wearing robe. Priced \$3.98-\$5.98

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Newest styles and patterns, full cut, with slippers to match
\$5.00 up to \$12.00

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Silk Scarfs, any color you want

\$1.65 up to \$5.50

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Men's and Ladies'
\$1.50 up to \$7.00

CIGARETTE CASES

and Combinations with Match Case and Lighters
\$1.50 up to \$5.00

Boys' Combination Sets

Belt and Harmonica \$1.00

Garters and Harmonica 45c

Garters and Pencil 45c

Garters and Pencil Box 45c

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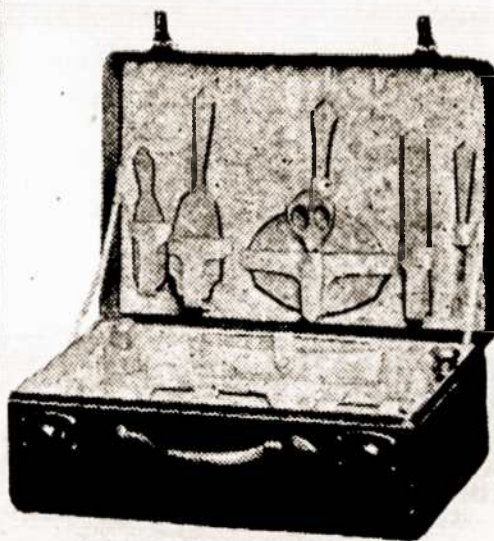
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A full line of Men's, Ladies' and Children's Slippers
From \$1.00 up to \$3.50

Men's Suits, two-pant suits
\$25.00 up to \$45.00



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Ladies' Fitted Case, Black or Brown

\$11.00

Just the kind she would like

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TIE RINGS
50c and \$1.50

SWEATERS

We have a large line of all styles

RAIN COATS

Ladies' Coats

\$5.75 up

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\$10.00

CIGARETTE LIGHTERS

\$1.00 up to \$3.75

Cigarette Lighter and Case
Comb \$2.00 up to \$8.00

TIES

Just the kind he'd pick himself
75c up to \$2.00

HANDKERCHIEFS

A large assortment of Ladies' Swiss embroidered and Linen Handkerchiefs
50c up to \$1.75

Also Men's and Children's

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Ladies' Allen Hose, Chiffon

\$1.75

Men's Silk Hose

50c up to \$1.00

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Make him happy with a pair of these
\$7.00 up

MEN'S FANCY PAJAMAS

Cotton, Broadcloth, Flannel

\$2.00 to \$2.50

A wonderful line of

MEN'S OVERCOATS & SUITS

Just the kind he would like for a present
\$25.00 to \$45.00

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We have a large assortment of cuff links, tie pins, tie clasps and watch chains

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Men's, Ladies' and Children's Ladies' Dress Gloves

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Men's Gloves

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A Useful Gift

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High or Low

Hinsdale, N. H.

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Railroad Time Table

The following is the time of trains on new schedule, taking effect at 12:01, Sunday, Sept. 29, 1929.

DAILY:

NORTH BOUND
Arrives 11:29 a. m. 5:50 p. m.

SOUTH BOUND
Arrives 9:26 a. m. 4:37 p. m.

SUNDAYS:

NORTH BOUND
Arrives 9:12 a. m. 5:15 p. m.

SOUTH BOUND
Arrives 8:28 a. m. 4:37 p. m.

U. S. POST OFFICE

MAILS CLOSE:

FOR THE NORTH
11:10 a. m. 5:30 p. m.

FOR THE SOUTH
9:05 a. m. 4:15 p. m.

NEW BUS SERVICE

Bus service between Brattleboro and Northampton, week days, is as follows

DAILY:

SOUTH BOUND
7:20 a. m. 1:40 p. m.

SUNDAYS:

SOUTH BOUND
11:20 a. m. 1:50 p. m.

NORTH BOUND
12:20 p. m. 6:40 p. m.

Michael Pletzer shot a deer Sunday afternoon.

Miss Adelaide Barbrick, who had been at her home in Haverhill, Mass. for several days on account of the illness and death of her mother, resumed her position Monday as teacher of domestic arts in the local high school.

Mr. and Mrs. George A. Robertson and Mrs. Alice Kendall expected to leave this week Wednesday morning for Florida, where they will spend the winter.

Mrs. Delina Morin and son, Don, have gone to Springfield, Mass., for the winter months.

Joe L'Ecuier began working in the Paper Service Co. at Ashuelot Monday morning.

The sale of Tuberculosis Christmas seals is now going on and is in charge of the Hinsdale Women's Club, with Mrs. Ruth Sanderson as chairman. In New Hampshire more seals must be

sold to continue the fight, to maintain the State-wide program of clinics for early diagnosis and of nursing service to tuberculosis patients in their homes; to provide for the school examination clinics for the examination of undernourished children for tuberculosis and their cure; to provide relief and aid for sufferers from the disease; to supplement the work of the sanatoriums by follow-up of the patients returned to their homes; to educate the young people of high school age about good nutrition and the prevention of tuberculosis; to conduct a continuous campaign of education and information to reduce the number of deaths from this disease.

Last year the money raised in New Hampshire from the sale of Tuberculosis Christmas seals made possible a State-wide campaign against the disease, in which 78 clinic centers were maintained, 298 examining sessions were held, 8,249 physical examinations made, 23,880 home visits made by the nurses, 5,862 tuberculosis patients under treatment and supervision, 2,906 children examined for tuberculosis, 418 children cured, 580 adult cases added to arrested cases list, now totaling 2,780 and many other health activities.

The campaign against tuberculosis in New Hampshire has reduced the death rate from 118 per 100,000 population to 66 in the past 10 years. This means that more than 2,400 people are alive this Christmas who otherwise might have succumbed to the disease, and this is not all.

Tuberculosis is an infectious disease, though curable and preventable. It is no respecter of persons; it is indolent; it takes its victims in the best years of life, between the ages of 15 and 35 years, yet it is being steadily conquered by the power behind the penny—the tuberculosis seal. Will you help save lives in 1930 by buying and using Christmas seals?

Mr. and Mrs. William E. Belleville of Ripton, N. J., are at the home of Mrs. Rose F. Holland for two weeks.

Miss Kathryn A. Pierce of the local high school faculty was in Lynn, Mass., for Thanksgiving. Miss Isabel Tridicki was in Greenfield, Mass., at her home.

Mr. and Mrs. George A. Smith and on, George, Jr., of Burke, N. Y., were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. William McNally.

The Mary E. Bradley Mission Circle met with Miss Georgianna Scott this week Wednesday afternoon.

The dance which was held in the town hall last Wednesday evening, under the auspices of Court Ashuelot, No. 18, F. of A., was well attended. Refreshments were served during the evening and music was furnished by Williamson's orchestra.

Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Flint of Washington, Vt., were Thanksgiving guests of her sister, Mrs. Dominick J. Roy, and Mr. Roy.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold C. Holland have been in Boston, Mass. for several days, and during their absence

Ralph Wood has worked in the C. A. Holland & Son store.

Other successful deer hunters are Henry Holman, F. Leonard Young, William Mannis, Earl Williams and John Grover.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold C. Holland and daughter, Edna Lucille, are living at the home of Charles A. Holland for the winter.

Sunday visitors at Charlie Tessier's were their son and family from Vernon, Vt., Mr. and Mrs. Ernest R. Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Montgomery and Mr. and Mrs. William Montgomery of Contoocook, N. H., were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Keyou.

Montague

Miss Mildred Hannaford is with relatives in Gardner for the week-end. Miss Ruth Dickinson of Webster has spent several days with her mother Mrs. Dora Dickinson.

The Christian Endeavor repeated its North Parish, Greenfield, last evening play, "An Old Fashioned Mother," at Mrs. Oscar Silfer is substitute teacher of grade seven until a regular teacher is appointed.

Stanley Webber is at home from Northeastern University, recovering from a slight operation on his ankle.

The girls and boys of the upper grades are planning for the opening of the basketball season.

The Parent Teacher Association party held at C. M. Ripley's Tuesday evening was largely attended and much enjoyed.

Mrs. Wheeler spent the last week-end with Miss Eastman in New York and is spending this week-end with Mrs. J. D. Kendrick in Shelburne Falls.

The workers on the Red Cross drive were entertained at a dinner Wednesday evening by the team which came in second.

Pomona Grange will meet with Montague Grange this evening. Supper will be served at 7 o'clock, followed by the business meeting, with initiation and program.

The Parent Teacher Association meeting will be held next Tuesday evening. This promises to be a most entertaining evening and is in charge of the fathers. Mr. Lashier, a gifted musician, is to render a novelty musical program, interspersed with an exhibition by trained birds. Refreshments will be served by a committee of men.

"I caught Bridget lighting the fire with kerosene this morning."

"What did you say to her?"

"I reminded her of her solemn promise to give u a week's notice before leaving."

"Gypsy: "I tella your fortune, mister."

Louie: "How much?"

Gypsy: "Twenty-five cents."

Louie: "Correct. How'd'e guess it?"

RADIO TELEGRAPH EXPANDS SERVICE

Recent additions to the radio telegraph service from the United States are of special interest now as indications that America is striving to hold her own in a radio telegraph leadership, which is made more difficult to maintain by the British merger of radio telegraph and cables. The announcement that R.C.A. Communications, Inc., will begin work at once to establish an inland telegraph network in fourteen strategic cities in the United States, with plans for 29 inland stations, as wave lengths are granted, also has added to the country-wide attention to this modern means of communication.

Within the last few weeks three new direct international circuits have been announced by W. A. Winterbottom, Vice-President in charge of Communications, Inc., to Spain, Syria and Costa Rica.

Several reductions of rates for radio telegraph service also have been announced recently by Mr. Winterbottom. It was the competition of radio telegraph which forced a reduction of cable rates by which users have saved \$60,000,000 in the last eight years.

The Old Prospector—

The Christmas Feast
THE prospector was coming down the slope with another grubstake gone. One of many. Yet was the sublime look of faith in his own luck unbroken. Just once more. But was there one more who would back him? He doubted. So he flung his voice to the high peaks in challenge, joyously, to a wonderful world.

One mile, two, and then he found a tramp on the ground, sorely beset by hunger and privation.

"Starvation makes the world akin," laughed the prospector, stopping. "You are unduly fragrant, my friend, through unwashed and neglectful ways. But your need tells me you are my brother. And the cadaverous face says food."

"Got any?" croaked the tramp, scowling and then grinning, for his hunger was stronger than his malice. "Three days."

"Just enough to make one realize personal responsibility. As to grub, sure, plenty. I was bound where I might get supplies, and had nearly enough to reach there."

Hastily he had been making a campfire, and was reaching for the provisions. By this time the tramp was sitting up, his nostrils dilated, ready.

"What's that?" asked the tramp as a handful of green stuff was laid on the ground where they were to eat.

IT AIN'T THE GIFT

"IT AIN'T the gift a feller gets,
It ain't the shape ner size,
That sets the heart to beatin' an'
Puts sunshine in the eye."

"It ain't the value of the thing,
Ner how it's wrapped ner tied,
It's something else aside from this
That makes you glad inside."

"It's knowin' that it represents
A love both deep an' true
That someone carries in the heart
An' wants to slip to you."

"It's knowin' that they love you,
An' they tell you in this way,
Just sort o' actin' out the things
They really long to say."

"So it ain't the gift a feller gets,
Ner how it's wrapped ner tied,
It's knowin' that folks love you
That makes you glad inside."

—Southern Rurale

More Christmas Suggestions

Bridge Sets
Playing Cards
Ingersoll Watches



Fountain Pens
Pocket Pencils
Eaton, Crand
& Pike Fancy
Christmas
Boxes of
Stationery

Come to the store and browse around. You will be delighted with the assortment we carry

The Northfield Pharmacy

Harry L. Gingras, Prop.
Northfield, Mass.

Christmas Greetings to All

Call and inspect one of the largest lines of Christmas Gifts ever before shown in Northfield—including Brass, Toys, Linens, Handkerchiefs, Towels, Writing Paper, Ties, Imported Necklaces, Perfumes and Novelties at prices to fit the purses of all.

Look over our stock before buying elsewhere

Mrs. Whitmore

"GREEN GATE TEA ROOM"

East Northfield - Mass.

A Basket of Grapes

Blanche Tanner Dillin

IN THE east of a cloudless sky shone a bright star as a beacon, over the town. Groups of town folk hurrying in its direction appeared as the wise men who followed the star of old.

Every one would be attending the Christmas entertainment given at the church, so no need to keep his fruit shop open, decided Matt Hughes, as he joined the happy joyous throng bound in that direction.

From where he sat he could plainly see the star, and he felt to dreaming of another Christmas when that same star shone as brightly as now, but instead of the snow-clad hills of New England there was the wide expanse of the California desert. Across that desert toward the star rode a lone horseman, a song on his lips and a smile on his face. From his saddle hung several packages in the bright holiday wrappings.

As he drew near a cabin the song changed to a shout of greeting which died to a low exclamation of surprise as he saw there was no welcoming light. After searching in the dark he had struck a light, and then had come the discovery of the written message. It was the same old story—unaccustomed to the desert the problems confronting one trying to conquer it had proved too big. Howard James, the playmate of his childhood, college friend and later neighbor out here in the West, proved now to be the real love of Dolly Hughes instead of Matt.

One day the name James Howard was spoken in his presence; the similarity in the name of his former friend caused him to locate the man. Then he learned that Dolly had not survived long after reaching there.



Matt Silently Extended His Gift.

With a curse on his lips the husband left, and although the two had lived in the same village for several years, they had never spoken to each other; but Matt had never revealed the identity of the other man.

Words of the program mingled with his dream, such as "The Glory of the Lord shone round" and "They brought Him gifts" and the words of the minister at parting—"Little children love one another."

An idea which formed quickly in his mind crystallized into action and Matt found himself hurrying first to his shop and then to a little home in the other part of town. Entering the presence of his once while friend, Matt silently extended his gift.

"Matt!" the word was half a question and half an exclamation. The one addressed placed his offering in the other man's hands.

"Howard," he said, "I have brought a token of forgiveness." As he saw what the basket contained Howard clasped the gift more tightly.

"A basket of California grapes!" he cried over and over. "Just what I have longed for."

"Why it's only a basket of grapes," stammered Matt.

"No," Howard after a moment replied in a choked voice, "it's much more than that; it's an answer to prayer."

"Well," Matt said as he turned to go, "I'm glad that you like them." At the door he turned and extended his hand.

"Merry Christmas, Howard," he said.

The other grasped the outstretched hand—"Merry Christmas Matt, and God bless you." And the next moment the bearer of the gift was out under the stars.

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COWS GIVE MORE MILK BY RADIO

The first test under practical dairy-farm conditions of providing radio music for cows has proved a big success, according to officials of the Detroit Creamery Company, near Mount Clemens, Mich. The creamery company officials bought RCA loudspeakers for each of their barns when they noticed the cows liked the music from a Radiola receiving set installed to entertain the men doing the milking. Now all the 900 cows on the model farm enjoy radio programs.

MERRY CHRISTMAS

by Katherine Ezellman

MERRY CHRISTMAS! Merry Christmas! No two other words could ever hold so much of warmth and gladness within them. There is a nameless something in their sound that fills the heart with happiness. As we hear them, the Christmas spirit, that most delightful and happiest of feelings, takes possession of us. And it is no selfish happiness that the words awake, for we are not content to keep it to ourselves; we want to go out and make others happy, too, to share our joy with all the world. We want to bring a smile to other faces; to help lessen and lighten the burdens that others may be carrying.

MERRY CHRISTMAS!

Just two short words, and yet how much they mean; what unnumbered hours of happiness they bring! What glad and joyous things we wish for those we love as we call them out. What hopes surge within our hearts that the best in life may come to them! As we repeat the words, friends, ships grow deeper and more sincere, and home ties and ties of kindred sweeten and strengthen. There is a magic within them that makes us prize and value all the gifts that are ours; that makes us appreciate and cling close to our precious possessions.

And what memories they awaken! Memories of other happy Christmas days; of hallowed friends and comrades that are now beyond the clasp of our hands; of the happy and never-forgotten days of childhood.

MERRY CHRISTMAS!

A smile and a song follow the words. They can bring gladness into every heart and bright sunshine into the day. And as long as the world goes on they will always remain as now, the happiest, the heartiest and the most joyous words that man can speak or write.

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Christmas Is for Children

Christmas is first of all for the children. Don't forget the tree, and that they will enjoy making the popcorn balls and candy and stringing bits of cotton to hang from the branches.

JOE'S CHRISTMAS DAY

By Anno Porter Johnson

MY Grandpa says on Christmas Day He wants all sad things put away. The house must be chock-full of boys And girls, and games, and fun, and noise.

One time I said to him quite low, "Say, Grandpa, may I bring lame Joe?" In all his life, I heard Joe say,

"He's never had a Christmas Day!" Grandpa just squeezed my hand so tight, And shut his eyes like it was night, And then a tear rolled down his cheek—

"I guess my Grandpa's eyes are weak. 'Why, bless your heart, of course you may."

We'll give him a great Christmas Day! Bring all the girls and boys you know, And don't forget to bring lame Joe!"

When I told Joe, his face got red And white, and then he rubbed his head And blinked his eyes and shook all through.

He couldn't think 'twas really true. But when we got to Grandpa's—say, Joe surely had a Christmas Day! My Grandpa knows nice things to do—

He said he'd be Joe's Grandpa, too!

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Mount Hermon

On Wednesday afternoon, Nov. 27, the Hermon boys ran off a three-mile race. This is a new event, an inter-society run, which has been added to the regular program for the fall season in the cross-country, which usually closes with the five-mile race held on Nov. 18.

Through the generosity of Henry E. Bemis, '91, president of the Florida East Coast Hotel Co., Palm Beach, Fla., and of New York city, a new fund is established to give three medals, gold, silver and bronze, to the first three men at the tape on the new three-mile course, and a cup to the club scoring highest. At least eight men from a club must finish to give that club a score. The six clubs competing: Dickerson Scientific, Good Government, Hayward and Lyceum clubs, and Pierian Literary Society and Philomathean Literary Society, the Hayward club scoring the highest and winning the cup. G. Gordon Kelley of the Pierian society won the race; William Lynch, Dickerson Scientific club, 2nd; M. H. O'Hara, 3rd. All the next 12 men in won a pie.

G. Gordon Kelley is from Hartford, Conn., and won the four and two-mile races and came in second in the five-mile race this fall. William Lynch, Medford Hillside, was the winner of the five-mile run and the Bemis medal. Meredith H. O'Hara is from Westfield, N. J.

The presentation of H's to the all-Hermon men was made as a part of the after-dinner exercises on Thanksgiving Day.

Soccer Awards: Cup to class of '31, juniors; football awards: Cup to class of '30, seniors. All-Hermon letter men: Richard O. Forbush, Springfield, Vt.; P. J. Miller, Gales Ferry, Conn.; John C. Poulides, Greece; Edward V. Naylor, Meriden, Conn.; J. J. Ionides (captain), Pittsburgh, Pa.; W. C. Schneider, Geneva, Switzerland; C. G. Chachis, Greece; Matthew Turnbull, Lowell, Mass.; M. Pose, New York city; L. B. Warren, New York city; R. A. Flanders, North Haverhill, N. H.; Alfred J. Galat, Waterbury, Conn.; G. E. Thomas (sophomore), Thompson, Conn.; V. A. Campbell, Brooklyn, N. Y.; Edward W. Thomas (senior), Brooklyn; Edwin W. Ned, Ferris, Sound Beach, Conn.; J. H. Murray, Jr., Elizabeth, N. J.; J. J. Wetart, Hartford, Conn.; Kenneth J. Allen, Lowell; K. D. Warner, Woodbury, Conn.; H. S. Harris, Jr., Providence, R. I.; H. G. Brookshire, Asheville, N. C.

Cross-country awards. Senior victory, Medals: Irwin Lynch, Medford Hillside; Gordon G. Kelley, Hartford, Conn.; Wendell M. Babcock, West Somerville. All-Hermon letter men: Irwin Lynch, Medford Hillside; Gordon G. Kelley, Hartford, Conn.; Edward L. Bliss, Jr., Oberlin, Ohio; T. W. Polhemus, East Northfield; Sherwood Reed, Newburgh, N. Y.

Last Sunday Rev. Paul Swarthout, pastor of the First Baptist church of Brattleboro, spoke at both morning and evening church services. Rev. Lester P. White, head of the Bible department, spoke at Brattleboro in exchange with Mr. Swarthout.

The Mount Hermon Glee club and orchestra gave a concert last Monday evening at the Baptist church in Greenfield.

Carroll G. Ross and L. Lorimer Drury were Hermon guests and speakers at a baked bean supper held by the Boston-Hermon club Monday evening at the new Old South Church in Boston.

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McLaglen, born in London, spent his boyhood in South Africa, where his father was a bishop, a cousin of General DeWitt of Boer War fame. Victor, then 14, pleaded to join the army. Refused, the youngster fled to London. Here his great physique enabled him to enlist in the Life Guards. Later, wanderlust sent the lad to Canada, where he mined silver in the Cobalt country. Then began his career as a wrestler and boxer. When the town burned down, Victor proceeded to Ontario, where he acquired the Eastern Canada boxing championship.

Next he joined a side show, meeting all comers. This was followed by a turn in vaudeville. In Vancouver he fought a six-round bout with Champion Jack Johnson. Then, with his brother, Arthur, he joined the gold rush to Kalgoolie in Australia, and almost died in the desert.

At the outbreak of the World War, the brothers enlisted in London, being joined by four other brothers. All returned but Fred, who died in East Africa. Victor then went to Mesopotamia with the Royal Irish Fusiliers. After facing the Turks and Arabs, he received a captaincy. Later he was made provost marshal of Bagdad.

The screen lured him to Hollywood and therein fame and wealth resulted. After several small parts, he played a lead opposite Lady Diana Manners. He was prominent in "The Beloved Brute," "The Hunted Woman," and as one of the strange trio in "The Unholy Three."

After "What Price Glory," came the "Loves of Carmen." This was followed by "A Girl in Every Port."

His recent successes are "Hansman's House," "Mother Macree," "The River Pirate," "Captain Lash," "Strong Joy," and the Broadway special, "The Black Watch."

Co-featured with McLaglen in "The Cock Eyed World," who chomies to the Garden theatre, are Edmund Lowe and Lily Damita, under Raoul Walsh's direction. Stallings and Anderson, who wrote "What Price Glory," also wrote this story.

"Iceland," said the teacher, "is about as large as Siam." "Iceland," wrote Willie afterwards, "is about as large as teacher."

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Canned fruits are especially suitable, for they lend themselves to many uses. Apple sauce is one of the best liked. It can be used as a filling for cake or gingerbread. If you have baked tart shells ready, it

is the work of only a minute to add spices to taste to the canned apple sauce, pour it into the shells, sprinkle with grated cheese and heat in the oven until the cheese is melted.

Apple and Date muffins are simple to make and with chocolate or coffee are enough for such a light lunch. To make them, beat two eggs and add one cup of milk. Mix and sift two cups of flour, three tablespoons of sugar, four teaspoons of baking powder and one-half teaspoon of salt. Add to the first mixture. Then add one-half cup of canned apple sauce, three tablespoons of melted butter and one-half cup of chopped dates. Pour into buttered muffin tins and bake in a hot oven, 400° F., for 15 to 20 minutes. This makes eight to ten muffins.

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French Toast is a quick and universally liked dish and can be varied in many ways. You can sprinkle it with powdered sugar or a mixture of cinnamon and sugar, or you can serve honey or a tart jelly with it. Another variation is to cut the bread in circles, dip in the egg and milk mixture and sauté in the usual way. Then force canned apricots through a sieve and spread half the slices of toast with the purée. Place the other slices on top and garnish with a thin slice of orange, cut crosswise.

A pineapple sauce to be poured over French Toast is made by boil-

ing until thick the contents of an eight-ounce can of pineapple tidbits, one-fourth cup of orange juice and one-fourth cup of sugar mixed with two teaspoons of flour. Pour over the hot toast and serve immediately.

Peanut butter may become a partner in the French Toast business, too. To make it, cream together one-half cup of canned peanut butter and one cup of milk. Add salt and pepper and a slightly beaten egg. Remove the crusts from slices of bread and cut in strips. Dip the bread in the mixture, and sauté in butter. Serve hot with a garnish of sweet pickles.

Pie Crust Sandwiches

Pie pastry may be kept in the refrigerator for some time all ready to be rolled out and made into turnovers—if you have a filling ready. Or you can roll the pastry out and cut it in circles the size of a slice of pineapple, and bake it in a hot oven. Put a pastry circle on a serving plate, and place a slice of drained pineapple on top. Spread with marshmallow creme and sprinkle with nuts. Another circle of pastry goes on top of that, and a dab of marshmallow creme to top it off.

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This is another of those books that have attracted so much attention recently and have had such remarkable sales that they have almost established a new art form. Almost, for the form is not altogether new and there are those who seriously question the right of such work to be classed as art. It comes, strictly, under the head of journalism.

The books to which I refer are the life stories of interesting and unusual characters, usually old, but always still living, written down in the form of interviews or conversations with the person who forms the subject of the book. "Trader Horn" (Simon & Schuster) is the most conspicuous recent example of the type. Interviews with celebrities have been a feature of journalism ever since the invention of the newspaper. And there have been biographies in the past based largely on conversations with the great man. There is, of course, Boswell's Life of Johnson, and Goethe's Conversations With Eckermann. One might cite others. But in each case the subject of the informal biography has been a man of some standing and distinction in his own right, aside from the skill of his biographer.

The Trader Horns and Grandmother Browns that we are getting now are people of no public distinction of their own. They are used, rather, to illustrate a mode of life, an unusual environment or a quaint philosophy. They are, in short, a form of historical romance with a hero, or heroine, who can be introduced to the public in person, when needed. They complete or the public attention with entirely fictional work in the same way. In which a Belasco setting, with real water in the fountain and real cake on the table, competes with more impressionistic scenery. Hence the question as to their legitimacy as an art form.

But there is no doubt that this type of book has a real and deserved hold upon the public fancy. Americans are literal minded and these books fill a need. They bridge the gap between complicated historical studies and works of the imagination that may be truer than the facts.

This is the story of a simple, home woman, who lives a hundred years of American history in the Middle West. She was born soon enough to remember the veterans of the Revolution, who settled in Ohio. She died two years ago. It is enough to say of the quality of the book that it is an Atlantic Press publication and the winner of the Atlantic Monthly Biography prize. It is the merit of this book that it is so true and typical of the lives of women in the vanished, good, old days. A highly useful and adventurous life for a woman. But at fifty her life was over, as far as interest, significance or importance was concerned. And she lived another fifty years. That is not right. It is not fair. This book makes one feel a vivid sympathy for one of the tenets of modern feminism, which is that the world small be so ordered that women may have interesting and significant lives after fifty.

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If ever I'm shocked to death or hung 'Twill be because of a woman's tongue. When over the phone one lips this quiz:

"Hello there, dearie! Guess who this is."

LITTLE THINGS IN MARRIED LIFE

It is said that there is one chance in a hundred that twin babies will be born, one in six thousand that triplets will appear, and one in ten million that but we must not continue. There are some things too awful for words.

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HY do you show such consideration to all those mountain people?" asked an interested observer of the biggest dealer in town. "They haven't any money." "More than one would guess, hidden away in their old stockings. I'm sowing seed for next Christmas. I expect to carry a big line of holiday goods, and plan to make inroads on those stockings. And anyway, I find it pays to be polite even to the mountaineers. When they get ready to buy they'll come to me. They did last year."

The words "Christmas seed" got out in some of the storekeeper's talk, even up into the mountains. A young man up there hunting stopped one day for dinner at a cabin that seemed full of children. One half-grown boy he noticed was especially attentive to his father and mother. He cut wood and

brought it in, swept the floor, and asked pleasantly for errands to run. "You're a lot of help to your folks," he said to him one day.



"Only sowing Christmas seed," the boy replied nonchalantly. "It's only two months to Christmas, you know. It's funny, though," more thoughtfully, "how habits get fixed. Last year I did this way, and got extra presents. But somehow I couldn't stop. After Christmas I couldn't seem to ease up. I kept right on, as the same during the summer. Seed sowing ain't so bad for Christmas or at any other time if it makes everybody feel better toward everybody else. Say, do you know that store dealer down in town? I do like to hear him talk. I heard him say that about Christmas seed sowing. Pa and ma and grandpa, too, are all going to him to buy Christmas stuff. Queer how those words stuck in my gizzard. And, say, I mentioned 'em to the Green tribe—ten of 'em, gals and boys, and every last one of 'em is starting in to sow Christmas seed, thinking maybe to get more. If they don't, I bet they'll stop sowing or plow 'em up. If they do keep on, though, after Christmas, they're all right and deserve all they get. Christmas seed is good, if they don't stop. I've got that clear. Yes, ma, I've cut a lot of wood and piled it 'hind the cabin, and I'm a-going to cut more. And you just look across at the Green cabin. I was the one that started 'em."

At that moment, there were three in front of the Greens, one boy and two girls, all energetically chopping wood, sowing seed. And inside the cabin were all the others who could work, briskly doing something. It only lacked two months of Christmas.

"If hit only keeps on like that—away," sighed the mother—"but I dunno."

It did keep on with a few of them. The others gradually grew lukewarm after Christmas.

And there were others whom the storekeeper's words reached. Some of them got the habit and sowed seed after the holidays, and some did not. But there were enough to make a wonderful change in the mountain people, for when those with the habit grew up, the habit grew up, too, only stronger. They branched out into business, and those with farms improved and made them better.

And the storekeeper? He loaded up with a very large stock of Christmas goods, to the derision of the other stores. But when the holidays had fairly set in, the mountain people came down in hordes and went straight to that store. They had opened their stockings. And the big stock, instead of remaining on the shelves, went out everywhere, but mostly to the mountain people. And it may be said to be owing to sowing the seed of politeness.

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Teacher: "What is the difference between the North and the South Pole?" Student: "All the difference in the world."

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Main Street, Northfield, Mass.

See our advertisements scattered through this issue for suggestions as to your CHRISTMAS GIFTS. We have a large and varied stock to select from.

As usual the Frojy people will have a surprise for you. Novelty Ice Cream Cake, daintily decorated at \$1.25 for the quart and \$2.50 for the two quart size. Orders should be received at least a week in advance of Christmas.

Chocolates, Bon Bons, Candy
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Xmas Twine, Tissue Paper, Xmas Cards, (including the new Gibson assortment) Xmas seals, tags—Everything to make Xmas packages attractive.

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This is the
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THE NATION WIDE SERVICE STORE

Extends its sincere Good Wishes to all it's patrons and wishes to thank all who have helped to make our new service plan a success.

*We wish you all a
Merry Christmas
and a Happy and
Prosperous New Year.*

F. A. IRISH

Christmas City

by William L. Gaston

IN THE Christmas city everybody called him Uncle Kriss. None of the young people knew that he had any other name. But everybody knew that Christmas would not be Christmas if Uncle Kriss did not direct the festivities.

Uncle Kriss was neither rich nor poor. He had no family of his own. Nature fashioned him on the pattern of Santa Claus. He was never happier than when planning a happy Christmas for the town—the town which came to be called the Christmas city. Long before Christmas Uncle Kriss would go day after day with the boys and girls into the hills to gather evergreens and red berries for wreaths. A truck was sent to haul them to town. Then for a full week everybody worked making Christmas wreaths. A big bow of red crepe paper was fastened to the bottom of each wreath.

On the day before Christmas there was a Christmas wreath in the front window of every home, rich or poor. The Christmas city looked to be, as it really was, the home of Santa Claus. There was always a big tree erected in the street downtown and decorated with colored lights, cotton and tinsel. A small tree was sent to every home in town where there was a child. "Give the people plenty of Christmas," Uncle Kriss used to say, and they will need no police nor jail. The town had a small jail but only once in ten years had there been anybody in it on Christmas day, and then there was a Christmas wreath in the little window behind the iron bars.

On Christmas morning Uncle Kriss formed the men into a company of good fellows and sent them from home to home among the poor to see that no child was missed and no one was cold or hungry on Christmas day, in the Christmas city.

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Lamps and Appliances of all kinds.

VARIETY ADDS SPICE



DAVID GARRICK said: "Our first great passion is to eat," but he knew—and you know—that nothing is so deadly as the same old meals served in the same unchanging way. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Sprat's domestic arrangements were ideal—but are yours?

Just a Little Change

Do you change your menus with the seasons, adding heavier desserts in the fall as the children become more active and as the air becomes nipper? And do you take advantage of the colder weather to cook foods which are impossible in the summer because they overheat the kitchen? If so, there is no doubt that your family and your friends will not only have a passion to eat, but also a passion to eat at your home, of your food.

just in case, however, your inventiveness has suffered a temporary relapse, here is a suggestion for a dish which will make anyone ask for an encore:

Creamed Corned Beef in Sweet Potato Cases: Boil four large sweet potatoes in their skins, then remove the skins, cut the potatoes in halves lengthwise and scoop out the centers to form cases. Brush with melted butter, and brown in a hot oven or under a broiler flame. Meanwhile, make a white sauce of four tablespoons of butter, four tablespoons of flour, two and one-half cups of milk, salt and pepper, and one-fourth cup of cream. Add the contents of a twelve-ounce can of corned beef cut into small pieces; heat again, and then pour into and over the hot sweet potato cases.

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HERE ARE A FEW SUGGESTIONS:

STAINLESS STEEL CARVING SETS

The finest variety of Stainless Steel Carving Sets I have ever shown. They are all made by the Lamson & Goodnow Co. A gift that will be long remembered.

STAINLESS STEEL TABLE KNIVES

A variety of handles in steak knives. Ask to see the newest thing in steak knives with the short blade and the long handle.

SHEARS AND SCISSORS

We carry the famous Wiss line of shears and scissors. We have them in stainless steel as well as the sets of gold-plated ones. All have the Wiss Guarantee of satisfaction.

POCKET KNIVES

A large assortment of the Remington Line of Pocket Knives. We have knives with chain from 50 cents up. We also carry many numbers of Pearl Handle Knives.

FLASHLIGHTS

Nearly every kind of a Flashlight may be found here of the focusing and non-focusing types—they are made by the Eveready Company and so are the batteries that we sell.

WESTLOX CLOCKS AND WATCHES

The line includes their new Pocket Ben in the small size and ornamental dial. Clocks, all of Westlox make, in colors to suit your fancy. Radium and plain dials.

VACUUM BOTTLES

Pints, Quarts, Two-Quarts, in the Stanley Unbreakable Bottles and the well-known Universal line of Vacuum Bottles. Universal Lunch Kits, too.

SHOE SKATES

Select your Shoe Skates while the assortment is complete. You will find them priced to suit your pocket-book. Brand New Rubber Hockey Putts at 25c. each.

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Galvanized Shovels for the boys and the girls, too. We have 'em for the men—the kind that is a delight to use, and they will stand a lot of abuse as well.

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Tools for Carpenters, Machinists, Automobile Mechanics, Electricians, Telephone Linemen, Plumbers, Masons, Tools for the Home and Garage. Tools make one of the best and most useful presents that can be given to a man or boy. Our line is complete and includes standard nationally known brands only—that we stand back of.

HERE ARE SOME OF THE TOOLS

That may help you in your selection: Stanley Stainless Steel Carpenters' Squares (will not rust), Stanley Planes—a large variety, Stanley Screwdrivers, Stanley Rules—many kinds, including the Extension Rule up to 12 foot; Disston Saws, Maydole Hammers, Genuine Russell & Jennings Auger Bits, from 3-16 to 1½ inches, Genuine Irwin Bits, Bit Stocks, Steel Rules, Drills, Plumb Bobs, Machinists' Squares, Steel Rules, Micrometers, Calipers, Dividers and many other fine tools made by the L. S. Starret Co., and by the Goodell-Pratt Co. Krauter Pliers, Klein Pliers, Stevens Climbers, Connectors, etc. Levels in iron, aluminum, wood, wood aluminum bound, pocket and line.

The Famous Edlund Can Openers in two sizes, the best can opener on the market; it leaves the edge of the can turned in so that it is impossible to cut yourself. We carry them in the small size, the household size, priced from 75 cents to \$2.25. One of these can openers will make a Christmas gift that will be appreciated for many years.

38 Main Street **CHAS F. MANN** Brattleboro, Vt.
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The retail sales of Greenfield increased tremendously this year
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BECAUSE we have kept the faith with our customers by honest dealing.

BESAUSE we have rendered that kind of personal service so much desired by the buying public.

BECAUSE we have thoughtfully catered to the merchandise needs of a trading area of 60,000 intelligent buyers.

BECAUSE Greenfield, according to the United States Department of Commerce, is one of the most important trading centers in New England.

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THE FOLLOWING MERCHANTS WILL GLADLY WELCOME YOU.

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SELF SERVICE SHOE MART

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Greenfield Chamber of Commerce
1929-1930

Have You Seen Greenfield's Beautiful Decorations?

"WANT" ADVERTISEMENTS

One cent per word per insertion; no advertisement less than twenty-five cents; three insertions for the price of two times. Special rates for standing "want" advertisements by the month. Always send cash (unused postage stamps will do) for want advertisements, as we cannot afford bookkeeping at these rates.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Nice Dill pickles at 60 cents the gallon; bring your own container. Tel. 21-11. F. E. Wells.

FOR SALE—Two good violins; going South; call before Nov. 28. Mrs. Arthur Lyman, Northfield, Mass.

SHED DRY HARD WOOD—\$5 a load (80 cubic feet) delivered. E. L. Morse, Northfield, Mass. Telephone 19-5.

FOR SALE—Pork, alive or dressed, at the low wholesale price. Telephone 7-8 p. m. B. C. and R. D. Ware, Northfield.

FOR SALE—Baldwin apples, from Mountain farm, East Colrain; extra good in quality and size; graded and packed in baskets; \$2 per basket. L. A. Webber, Parker avenue, Northfield.

FOR SALE—Second hand furniture; also kitchen range with gas attachment; orders taken for all parts of stoves. Emil Rimbold, Fitzgerald court, Hinsdale, N. H. Phone 102.

FOR SALE—Crib and mattress, \$5.00; also new crib mattress, 34x50. Mrs. Alfred Holton, West Northfield. Phone 101.

FOR SALE—Kitchen range, Superior make, in perfect condition; one-third cost. George R. White, Ashuelot Road.

HELP WANTED

SALESMEN—to sell our high grade garden and field seed direct to planters; a good position with big income; experience unnecessary. Cobb Co., Franklin, Mass.

WANTED—Experienced girl for general work, fond of children; no cooking. Mrs. R. B. White, Hinsdale, N. H. Phone 57.

WANTED—Reliable girl for kitchen work; to commence work Jan. 1, 1930. Rose G. Kendrick, Kenhome, East Northfield.

RESIDENT PILOT WANTED—At Northfield Airport; licensed pilot with licensed plane (preferably amphibian) will find attractive opportunity here. Address, P. W. E. Hart, Northfield, Mass.

BOY—Would like to get work after High school. Tel. 189 Northfield.

WANTED—Girls over 18 for nurses; three year course; Pediatric affiliation. Woodville Hospital, Woodville, N. H.

MISCELLANEOUS

EXPERT CUTTING—And pin fitting of frocks and gowns, \$3.00; bring material and pattern. Mrs. Phillip Mann, Northfield. Tel. 89-5.

EXPERT CLOCK REPAIRING—By one who learned in clock factories; all work warranted for one year. Clock Repairer, Vernon Home, South Vernon.

WANTED—Highest prices paid for Fine Antiques. If you have old furniture, silver, china, glass, pewter, paintings, pictures, books, stamps, etc., write me about what you have; all letters answered. Many years of square dealing is my recommendation. Frank McCarthy, Longmeadow, Mass.

WANTED—To buy apples. Joseph Szeszowski, West Northfield. Tel. 26-14.

WANTED TO BUY—All kinds of raw furs legally caught; will pay the best price. H. A. Reed.

EXPERIENCED CLOCK REPAIRER—Solicits patronage; all work guaranteed for one year; prices reasonable. Leave your clocks or write, "Clock Repairer," Vernon House, South Vernon.

LOST—Glasses in black leather case, between West Northfield school and my home. Return, B. L. Cembalisky.

CARE OF CHILDREN—Or light house work wanted by 17-year-old girl. Address J. S. E. Press Office.

FURS—Cleaned, renovated, repaired at half price. Estimates cheerfully given. Braff, Furriers, Greenfield.

CLEANING—Now is the time to have your clothes cleaned, pressed, repaired. Braff, Tailors, Greenfield.

WANTED—Scraps of vegetables in gardens; why let freeze; sell to me; proceeds will buy your next year's seeds. Mrs. Behrt, 32 Highland, East Northfield.

WANTED—To place for adoption, an attractive baby girl, 15 months old; has dark eyes and light brown hair; perfectly normal and healthy. Address Box 77, Northfield Press Office.

NOTICE—We have just received a new consignment of uncalled for suits, odd pants, top coats, overcoats for boys, young men, and men to be cleared out at half price. Come early for first choice. Braff, Tailors, Greenfield.

WANTED—I will pay the highest prices for the following: Old Fashioned Antique Glassware, Books, Dishes, Lamps, Pewter Silverware, Post Beds, Tables, Chest of Drawers, Chairs, Pictures, Candle Sticks, 5 and 6 drawer Chests. No black walnut or marble top goods. All mail answered promptly. Please state what you have and mail to E. F. COLTON, 23 Sargeant street, Holyoke, Mass.

Broadcasting Will Aid World Harmony

A future in which races throughout the world will use English as a secondary language is envisaged by General James G. Harbord, who was Chief of Staff of the A. E. F. and now is President of the Radio Corporation of America, writing on radio as an instrument for promoting international understanding and peace.

Since the greater and most appealing part of the world's broadcast entertainment is offered in English from America and the British Isles, radio has provided the strongest incentive in history for many races to master a common tongue, General Harbord points out.

"We must not forget," he says, "that the nations' confusion of tongues has in itself been one of the most fruitful sources of international division and misunderstanding. People distrust what they do not understand; let them develop a common medium of communication and still another cause of distrust will fall by the wayside of human progress."

Radio and its allied science, television, will prove as valuable and perhaps more valuable than all diplomatic conferences in assuring universal peace for the future, General Harbord believes.

MORE BROADCASTS FROM EUROPE SOON

New treats in radio programs in the next few months are forecast by Dr. Alfred N. Goldsmith, Vice-President and General Engineer of the Radio Corporation of America, whose work in research since the infancy of radio gives his opinion weight.

"It is expected," Dr. Goldsmith said, "that in the coming season there will be a notable increase in the quantity



and quality of international broadcasting and a widened interchange of programs between various European countries and the leading broadcast agency in the United States. "Receiving sets show a tendency toward still greater simplification of control. Tuning in is a single operation performed almost simultaneously. The control of volume is equally simple and smooth."

Captain (to private): "Your name?" Private: "Jones, sir." Captain: "Your age?" Jones: "Twenty-four." Captain: "Your rank?" Jones: "I know it."

State Listing of Farms

Fully 50 per cent of the Massachusetts farms listed for sale each year by the State Department of Agriculture in its booklet entitled "Massachusetts Farms for Sale," are sold according to records now being looked over in preparation for the publication of a new list. In the 1928 booklet there were 225 farms listed. Fifty per cent of these farms have been sold. It is too early to know the number of farms on this list which were sold in 1929. The department is now getting in touch with these people, also county agents, Granges and other farm organizations to secure the offerings for 1930.

This is the ninth year that such a booklet has been put out. In that time about 1,000 farms have been listed. The number grew steadily as the benefits of the service became better known. The Department of Agriculture does not in any way transact the business or sell the farms. It simply serves as a go-between, bringing together those who have farms to sell and those who desire to buy farms. After the list is compiled, the department puts a small advertisement in the Country Gentleman and just awaits results. Letters come in from all over the country asking for information about these farms. The bulletin is sent to each of these inquirers and they communicate direct with the owners of the farms which interest them. Directly after the advertisement appears, there is a flood of inquiries. They gradually fall off, but during the year more than 2,000 inquiries come in.

While the department places its chief reliance on county agents, Granges and other agricultural organizations in compiling the annual list of farms for sale, it will be glad to hear direct from any farmer in the State who wishes his property listed in the bulletin. The department has had to draw a strict line and refuse

CHURCH, FRATERNAL AND OTHER NOTICES**TRINITARIAN CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH**

Francis Wayland Pattison, Minister. Announcements for week beginning Dec. 8:

SUNDAY

10:30 a. m.—Prayers.
10:45 a. m.—Morning worship.
12:00 noon—Sunday school.
6:15 p. m.—World Friendship Institute.
8:00 p. m.—Assembly; address by Rev. Alan H. Clark of India; subject, Mystic India; illustrated by stereoscopic pictures.

MONDAY

3:00 p. m.—W. C. T. U. meeting in the Young People's room.
6:00 p. m.—Sunday School Teachers' and Officers' Council.

TUESDAY

3:00 p. m.—Bible class for women, with Mrs. C. C. Stockbridge.

WEDNESDAY

3:00 p. m.—Mothers' Society meets with Mrs. W. R. Moody.

THURSDAY

3:45 p. m.—Junior Christian Endeavor Society.
7:30 p. m.—Week evening service.

FRIDAY

7:00 p. m.—Boys' Brigade.
7:45 p. m.—Evening Auxiliary.

UNITARIAN CHURCH

Rev. R. E. Griffith, Pastor
SUNDAY
Subject for sermon, Sunday—"The Tie That Binds."

ADVENT CHRISTIAN CHURCH, SOUTH VERNON

Rev. George E. Tyler, Pastor.
SUNDAY
10:45 a. m.—Sermon by the pastor.
12:05 p. m.—Church school.
7:15 p. m.—Union Service at the Chapel.

THURSDAY
7:30 p. m.—Mid-week meeting at the Home.

FREE METHODIST CHURCH

Mrs. Nellie A. Reld, Pastor
SUNDAY
10:30 A. M. Morning Worship.
11:30 A. M. Sunday School.
6:30 P. M. Class Meeting.
7:30 P. M. Evening Worship.
WEDNESDAY
3:00 P. M. Children's Meeting
7:30 P. M. Prayer Meeting.

ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH (Roman Catholic)

Father Carey and Father Rice, Pastors
Sunday Mass at 10:30 a. m. except on first Sunday of each month when it is at 8:30 a. m.
Sunday school and Bible History after the celebration of mass.

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Main St., Northfield
Open Tuesday, Thursday and Saturdays from 2 to 5:30 and 6:30 to 9 p. m.

Want Ads Bring Results**Boston & Maine R. R.**

East Northfield Station

Northbound to Brattleboro, etc.:

DAILY:		
7:50 A. M.		11:08 A. M.
1:30 P. M.	5:31	10:36
	BUS	
10:00 A. M.		6:20 P. M.
SUNDAY:	1:30 P. M.	10:36
3:53 A. M.		
	BUS	
12:00 Noon		6:20 P. M.
Southbound to Greenfield, etc.:		
1:50 A. M.		9:49
2:16 P. M.	5:02	8:55
	BUS	
7:40 A. M.		2:00 P. M.
SUNDAY		
3:40 A. M.	5:02 P. M.	8:50
	BUS	
11:35 A. M.		2:10 P. M.

to list any properties outside the State. It also refuses to list any city properties or those which are offered by real estate men. It is kept as a direct service from farmer to prospective buyer. Only desirable farms are put on the list. Any farmer who desires to have his farm listed, free of all charge, is invited to communicate with Dr. A. W. Gilbert, State Commissioner of Agriculture, giving a description of the property and a picture of the buildings.

Answers to "How Much Do You Know"

1. Abraham Lincoln, 1861.
2. An Indian word meaning "place near the blue hills."
3. Lee DeForest.
4. A famous and most beautiful mausoleum at Agra, India.
5. Calumet copper mine, 3,900 feet, near Lake Superior.
6. Emil Berliner.
7. Ellen Douglas.

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1000 Rooms with Bath
Single \$3 to \$4
Double —
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Three Blocks to Fireproof Garage—
5 Blocks to Largest Department Stores in the World
Welcome Stranger and Friend

SILVER RADIO

SILVER RADIOS are just so good that in California—even during the summer months—one after another brings in Japan, Australia and New Zealand! Almost any SILVER RADIO owner on the west coast can get the thrill of hearing such programs on a clear night just before dawn from a good location—and coast-to-coast reception is almost regular "fare."

It takes an extraordinary radio to give such results. And that is what SILVER RADIO is—way out in front of the pack! To show you its superiority we will make before you four of the most amazing tests you have ever witnessed—the "Ice Pick Test", the "Vanishing-Aerial Test", the "Hairpin Test", and the "Coin Test". Or, if you like, we will give you printed instructions so that you may make the tests, anywhere, with any radio!

Startling New Features!

SILVER RADIO, product of the manufacturer who introduced screen-grid radio to America in 1927, has "everything new"—FOUR screen-grid tubes, screen-grid power detection, band-selector tuning, matched-impedance electro-dynamic speaker, Overtone Switch to minimize static, complete shielding, automatic line voltage regulation, where desired, and ELIMINATION OF ALL AERIAL CONNECTION.

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No large display advts. can be accepted hereafter any later than 5 P. M. Tuesday of the week of issue; and no display advts. of any size after 1 P. M. on Wednesday.

Moreover, advertisers should understand that they will usually get a better set-up and position in the paper, if they have their copy in our hands in advance of these closing hours.

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Merry Christmas
and a
Happy New Year
To All*

*The Northfield Press
(Incorporated)
Northfield, Massachusetts*

FIELD Christmas Store Let Us Help Make CHRISTMAS Happy

For the Christmas Season our store has been converted into a regular Santa Claus Treasure House.

MONTHS AGO WE BEGAN TO ANTICIPATE WHAT YOU WANT TO GET FOR CHRISTMAS.

Never before was our store so set for the Holiday Trade, so filled with wonderful merchandise, so fit for giving, and our prices were never so attractive.

Gillette Safety Razors, gold plated,	89c
Flash Lights	69c
Others 39c. to \$3.50	
Cigars in Gift Boxes	98c
Others 50c. to \$3.50	
Cigarettes in Cartons	
Pipe and large box of tobacco	both 98c.
Thermos Bottles, special	98c
Others up to \$4.00	
Fountain Pens, special	\$1.39
Others 50c. to \$9.00	
Stationery, special	33c.
Perfume Atomizers, latest design, gift trim, a nice selection	50c. to \$2.00
Vanity Cases	50c. to \$2.00
Perfumes	50c. to \$7.00
Kodaks, a large variety	\$1.25 to \$17.00
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Delicious Chocolates in Gift Boxes	50c. to \$8.00

TOILET SETS AT VERY LOWEST PRICES AND A VARIETY OF DESIGNS, FOUND ONLY IN THE LARGE CITIES

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We sell only Standard Makes, and our prices are the same as in any Radio Store anywhere. Come in and compare them

HEADQUARTERS FOR TOYS, DOLLS, GAMES AND BOOKS FOR SANTA CLAUS. IT IS A PLEASURE TO SHOW YOU WHAT WE HAVE, WHETHER YOU BUY OR NOT

WE URGENTLY INVITE YOU TO COME IN AND LOOK AROUND TO YOUR HEART'S DESIRE

J. W. FIELD

Prescription Druggist
Hinsdale, New Hampshire

CHURCHMEN ASK SUPPORT OF RED CROSS ROLL CALL

Leading churchmen of the nation have joined in asking public support of the annual Roll Call of the American Red Cross. Two distinguished leaders who have sent messages to their congregations all over the country are quoted, as follows:

"I plead for an extension of our Red Cross membership until we can call a roll of every adult American," stated the Most Reverend Michael J. Curley, Archbishop of Baltimore. "I would like to see the children listed in the organization by their parents. I plead for it because of the spiritual reaction I visualize in our millions of contributing members."

"As president of the Federal Council of the Churches of Christ in America, I bespeak for the Roll Call of the American Red Cross the fullest cooperation of all the churches in the constituency of the Council," writes Francis J. McConnell, president of the Federal Council. "I cannot imagine that there is any minister who will not be grateful for the opportunity to call the attention of his people to the work of the Red Cross and to urge them to enroll in its membership."

The American Red Cross expended \$8,669,627.24 in disaster relief work in the United States and its insular possessions and in eleven other countries during the year ending June 30, 1929.

WENDELL

Roger Porter, formerly of Wendell was married, Nov. 7, to Miss Vivian Hatch of Spartanburg, S. C.

Among the Thanksgiving guests in our town last week were Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hartjens and son, Miss Marjorie Mrs. Morton Oliver, George and Louis Whitney, Miss Ethel Bawon, Mr. and Mrs. Weatherby, Alburn Fliske, Miss Eunice Brown and Cecil Hatch and family.

Proud Father: "Let me tell you, sir that the man who gets my daughter will get a prize."

Hopeful Candidate: "May I see it please?"

HEALTH PRESERVATION IS AIM OF RED CROSS

Society Employs Rural Public Health Nurses—Teaches First Aid and Life Saving.

A comprehensive, nation-wide program to prevent illness, and to save lives through proper nursing care and advanced methods of life saving and first aid is fostered by the American Red Cross.

The organization is the largest employer of rural public health nurses in the United States, through its Chapters. The policy of the Red Cross is to encourage its Chapters to extend the public health nursing service, where leadership in this field is not taken by some other agency in the community.

The Red Cross health and life saving campaign embraces the following: preservation of health through skilled nursing care; prevention of loss of life in accidents; prevention of illness through cleanliness in the home and knowledge of methods of home care of the sick and raising the standard of health and physical efficiency through proper nutrition.

During the year just closed, more than 42,000 certificates have been issued in the Red Cross course in Home Hygiene and Care of the Sick, and since the courses were inaugurated more than 500,000 persons have been taught; 149,000 children were instructed in proper eating through the Nutrition course; 48,898 individuals passed the severe Red Cross tests in Life Saving and 52,596 persons passed the rigid examinations in the First Aid Course.

This work is supported from funds obtained in the annual Roll Call, Armistice Day to Thanksgiving Day, November 11 to 28.

Gabs and Jabs

Landlady: "You always sing while you're taking your morning shower, Mr. Gray. Why do you do that?"
Boarder: "The bathroom door will not stay locked."

Apricots for Desserts



WHEN you cast around in your mind for a new dessert, why not include the aristocratic apricot in your survey? For the apricot is capable of as many uses as the peach and is less often used only because its capabilities are less familiar.

All Year Use

Of course, the fresh apricot can't be bought all year around, but the canned fruit, which is put up in factories near the orchards when the golden apricot is meltingly ripe, can be obtained any time. Some recipes which are new and have been tested by a trained dietitian are here given. Don't they sound tempting?

Apricot Cranberry Tarts: Cook together until creamy and rather thick the following ingredients: one cup of canned cranberry sauce,

one cup of apricot pulp (made by pressing apricots through a sieve) and four teaspoons of sugar mixed with one teaspoon of flour. Cool and put in previously-baked tart shells. Top with whipped cream. This makes ten to twelve tarts.

Peach and Apricot Filling: Whip one cup of cream, and add six tablespoons of confectioner's sugar. Cut one-half cup of canned peaches and one-half cup of candied cherries into small pieces and drain well. Fold into the whipped cream. Use the filling in cream puffs, between layers of cake or as a garnish on a simple cornstarch or rice pudding.

To lend variety to tapioca and cornstarch puddings for the children, put an apricot half in the bottom of the individual mold and fill with the pudding; top with another apricot half.

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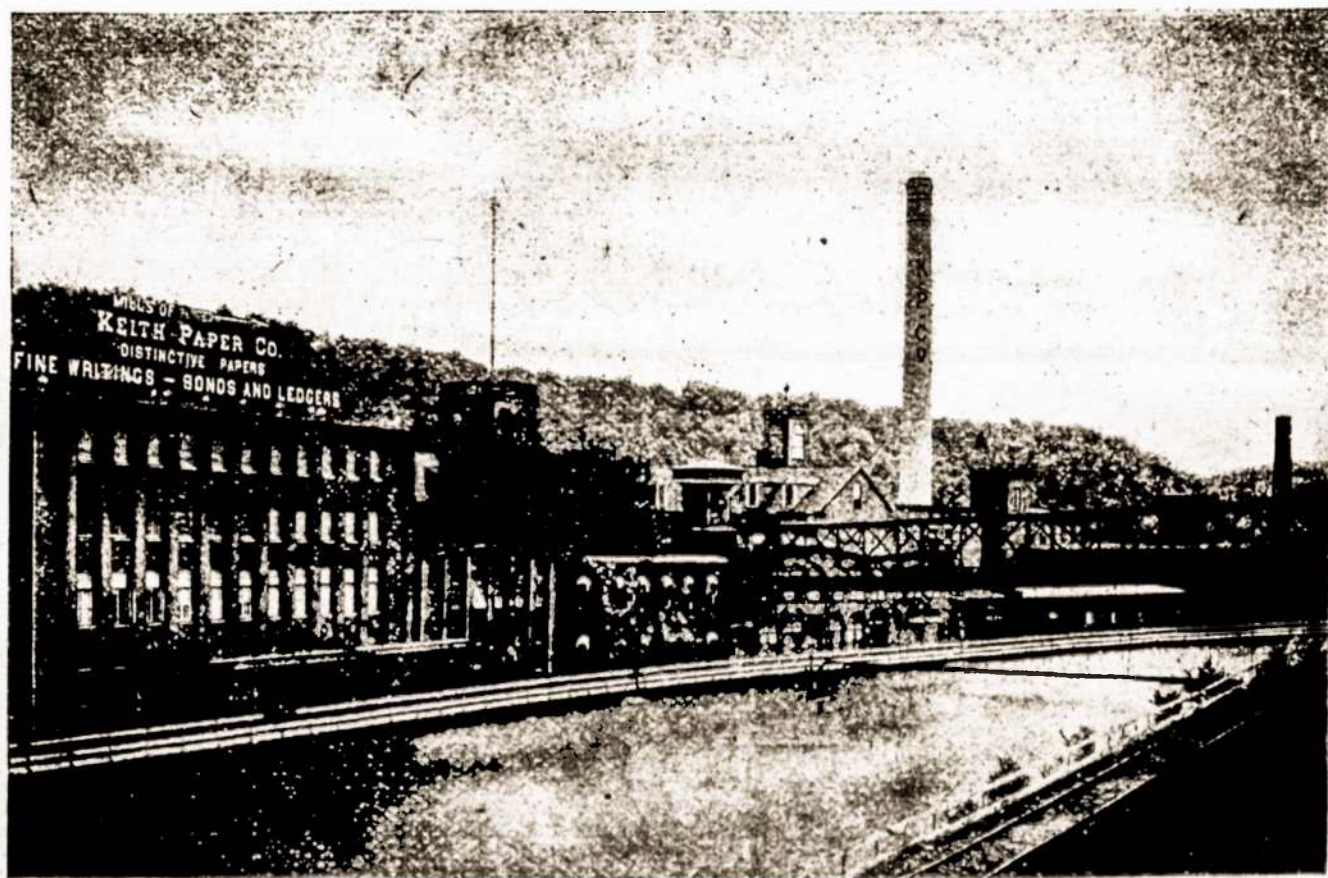
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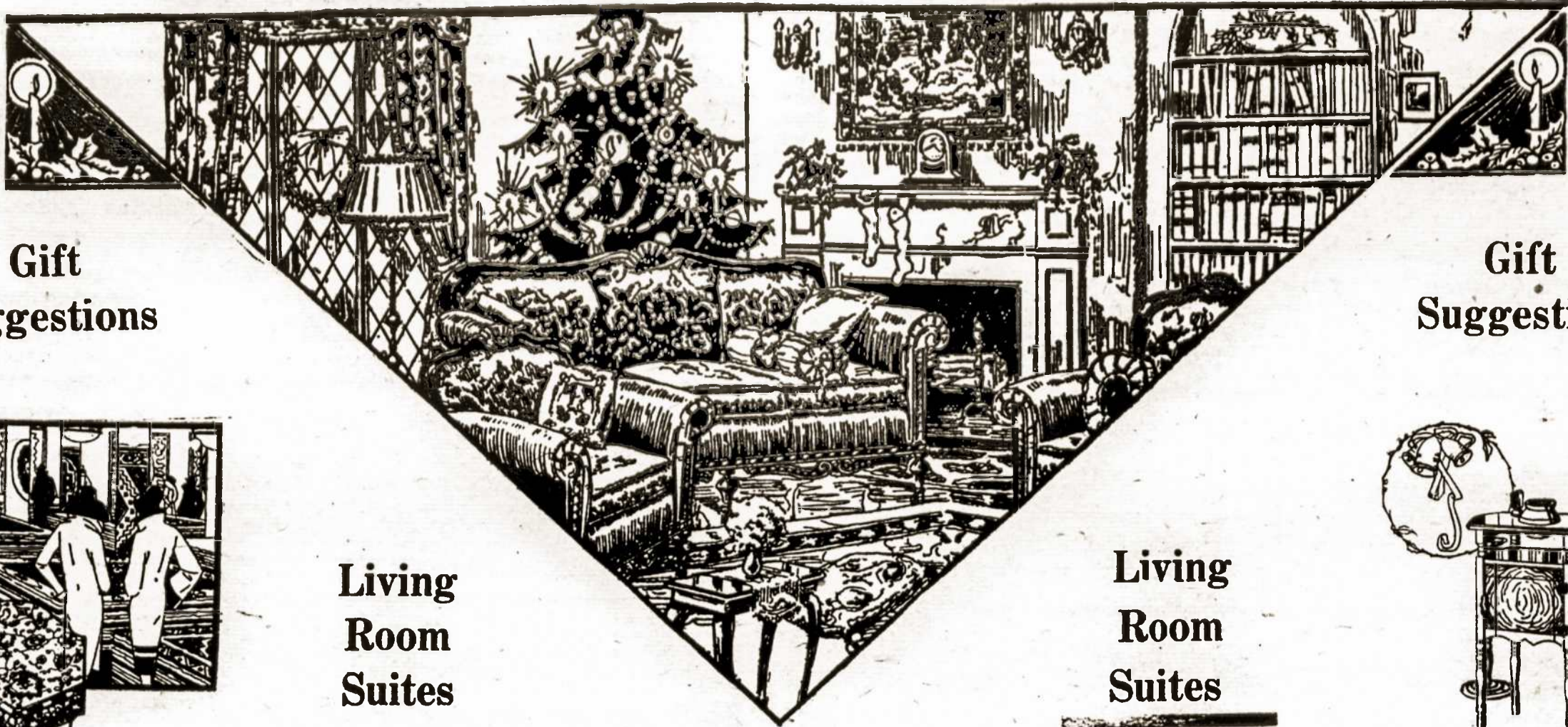
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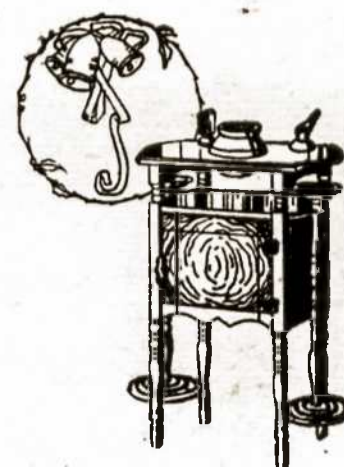
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